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FRENCH MEMORANDUM PREPARED FOR STRESA CONFERENCE



A prince is going to join the Hollywood tollers. Prince Sigvard of Sweden, who has called himself plain Mr. Bernadotte since he was disowned by his uncle, King Gustav, for marrying an actress, is on his way to the cinema city with his bride. They are here shown.

GOVERNMENT APPOINTMENTS ARE ANNOUNCED

Mr. E. H. Williams As Chief Assistant To S.C.A.

CONSULATE CHANGES

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Mr. Ernest Hillas Williams to be Chief Assistant to the Secretary for Chinese Affairs, with effect from April 26, 1935.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to nominate Mr. Lo Man-kam as a member of the Court of the University of Hong Kong for a further period of three years, with effect from March 24, 1935.

The appointment of Mr. V. Sorby to be a member of the Advisory Committee of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps, with effect from March 27, 1935, is gazetted.

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ARMY OFFICER IN CAR MISHAP

Chinese Girl Knocked Down

Lieut. Simmons, R.A., of Lyemun Barracks, reports that at about 8.45 a.m. yesterday while he was driving his motor-car, No. 3133, along Hennessy Road, and when near Stewart Road, a Chinese girl, Tang Chiu, aged 13, of No. 48 Tai Yuen Street, ran out from the pavement and was knocked down.

She was taken to the Government Civil Hospital suffering from an abrasion of the right thigh.

EGYPTIAN MISSION IN LONDON

Economic Enquiry

London, To-day. The Rt. Hon. Mr. Walter Runciman, President of the Board of Trade, accompanied by officials of the Board of Trade, the Foreign Office, the Department of Overseas Trade, and the Mines Department, yesterday received the Egyptian mission of Economic enquiry, which is visiting this country.

A general discussion took place and arrangements were made for further meetings. British Wireless Service.

BARRACK STORE RIPIED

Lance Sergeant Stevens, of the Royal Engineers, Wellington Barracks, reports that between December 1, 1934 and March 10, 1935, someone broke into the Barrack store and removed three gold-coloured bars valued at £75.

SINKIANG PACT

EX-GOVERNOR SENTENCED TO IMPRISONMENT

AGREEMENT MADE WITH SOVIET

NANKING'S PERMISSION NOT OBTAINED

Nanking, To-day. Chin Shiu-jen, ex-Governor of Sinkiang, has been sentenced by the Nanking District Court to three and a half years' imprisonment on a charge of instigating a foreign menace to the State on the ground that he concluded a provisional Sinkiang-Soviet agreement without the Government's approval.

He was acquitted on charges of embezzlement of public funds, murder, arson and robbery.

It is understood that the prisoner is appealing to the Supreme Court. Reuter.

PRAGUE FAIR REPORT

Many Foreign Buyers Attracted

This year's Prague Fair has shown an unexpected upward movement regarding export business. Foreign buyers went in a record number to Prague and the number of visitors from England and the British Empire, Scandinavia, Holland, as well as from overseas countries, was quite remarkable.

It is interesting that the number of English visitors doubled in comparison with the last Autumn Fair. Best results noted were in glassware, china, jewellery, toys, fancy goods, leather articles and textiles, and export trade surpassed the turnover attained in previous years.

NEW INDIAN C.I.N.C.

London, To-day. His Majesty the King has approved the appointment of General Sir Robert Cassels to be Commander-in-Chief in India in succession to Field Marshal Sir Philip Chetwode, on the completion of the latter's tenure of office on November 18.

The King has also approved that General Cassels be appointed a member of the Executive Council of the Governor-General of India on taking up his appointment. British Wireless Service.

REV. FR. SAUREN ROBBED

The Rev. Father Sauren, of No. 2 Seymour Road, in a report to the Police states that between 10 p.m. last night and 5 a.m. this morning, someone entered his premises by removing a pane from the balcony of his cellar and stole two boxes valued at £4, and a watch worth £10.



Although no alien is permitted to own land in Sinkiang, local protests are showering the American Embassy in Tokyo over the forced acquisition of land from ownership of land in the western states. The question, long a disaster of relations between the two nations, has again arisen as the result of differences between white and Japanese in the rich Salt River Valley of Arizona. The United States Secretary of State, Mr. Cordell Hull (top), Ambassador Salter (left) and Governor E. B. Moeur have been given the serious problem to handle by such mass meetings of white farmers as that pictured above.

HAMILTON BEAT HEARTS

Displaced Athletes In League Table

London, To-day. In the only Scottish League game played yesterday Hamilton, the Cup finalists, beat the Hearts at home by two clear goals to advance above Aberdeen in the League table. Reuter.

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UNIVERSITY BOAT RACE

B.B.C. Will Broadcast Commentary

London, To-day. A commentary on the Oxford and Cambridge boat race will be broadcast by the British Broadcasting Corporation to-day at 2.30 p.m. Recordings will be broadcast at 6.30 and 11.15 p.m. and to-morrow at 6.15 a.m. and 12.30 p.m.—British Wireless Service.

BRITISH SPEED ACE HOME AGAIN

Civic Welcome For Malcolm Campbell

London, To-day. Sir Malcolm Campbell, the famous British racing motorist, yesterday received a civic welcome on his arrival in the R.M.S. Berengaria at Southampton from Daytona Sands, where his car, the "Blue Bird," recently set up a new land-speed world's record of 276.816 miles per hour. British Wireless Service.

LLOYD GEORGE'S PLANS

To Be Studied Next Thursday

London, To-day. Mr. Lloyd George, whose industrial recovery proposals were recently, at the request of the Prime Minister, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, submitted to the Government, has been invited to attend a meeting on Thursday of the Cabinet Committee which has been examining the financial situation of the country.

NO SUSPICION OF RABIES

French Supreme War Committee

Half-Year Contingent of Conscripts To Be Relieved

Paris, To-day. Political circles report that the supreme war committee yesterday voted in favour of retaining with the colours for at least three months longer the half-year contingent of conscripts who were due to be disbanded on April 15. Reuter.

FURTHER RED SETBACKS

Sustain Heavy Losses In Kiangsi

London, To-day. The First Group Army Headquarters is in receipt of a telegram from General Yu Hsin-mow, Commander of the Kwangtung First Army Corps in south Kiangsi, stating that the Protective Regiment of the Army Corps wiped out a band of bandits in Tai-pai-ki towards the end of last month who retreated there from Yu-tu. The battle lasted for one hour. Over 10 bandits were killed, three captured, and 12 rifles taken.

It is also reported that the troops of a regiment of the 3rd Division killed more than 10, and captured nine bandits with a seizure of eight rifles and three shells in Shek-pan, On-yuen, on March 27, and three days later the 2nd and 3rd Battalions of another regiment killed and captured over 30 of remnant marauders in Tai-pai-ki. Pin-liao-hung, with a substantial seizure. Central Press.

MEDWAY EXPECTED ON MONDAY

Forward Silver Rises

The local dollar is steady opening on demand this morning at 2/- Silver prices showed little change, the spot being steady at 8.5/16 and forward rising 1/16 to 8.7/16. The London New York cross was quoted at 1.13.48/52, compared with 1.13.44/50. The New York market was steady, compared with 1.13.44/50.

APPEAL TO LEAGUE

BRITISH AND ITALIAN AID HOPE FOR

Austrian Independence Must Be Safeguarded

LITTLE ENTENTE CONSENT ESSENTIAL BEFORE REVISION OF MILITARY CLAUSES

Paris, To-day.

A memorandum setting forth France's reason for appealing to the League Council against Germany's latest infringement of the Versailles Treaty, and a draft resolution for submission to the Council of the League, will be submitted at the Stresa conference by M. Laval, the French Foreign Secretary, and it is hoped here that the resolution may be presented to the League jointly by Britain, France, and Italy.

It is understood that the Italian Government recently requested preliminary information with regard to the Anglo-French views expressed at a meeting of the League Council, on the organization of collective security and the maintenance of Austrian independence. It is believed that in the eventuality of re-armament the small powers will also be alluded to.

Paris, like Rome, attaches the greatest importance to the safeguarding of the independence of Austria, but considers the consent of the Little Entente essential to a revision of the military clauses in the treaties with Bulgaria, Austria and Hungary.

It is understood that the French Government will propose a formula of European scope on such a basis as it is hoped to obtain an agreement with these three powers as well as with Russia. Reuter.

LOCAL BANK NOTE CIRCULATION

\$156,755,142 During March

The returns for the average amount of bank notes in circulation and of specie in reserve in Hong Kong during the month ended March 31, 1935, and as certified by the Managers of the respective banks, gives the Chartered Bank \$20,850,881 with \$5,000,000 specie in reserve; the Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank as \$124,422,530 with \$132,750,000 specie in reserve, and the Mercantile Bank as \$127,781 with \$135,000 specie in reserve.

In addition the three banks, respectively, have \$77,500, \$2,284,000 and \$190,000 in securities deposited with the Crown Agents.

LOCAL DOLLAR STEADY

WEATHER FORECAST

The anti-cyclone has moved north-eastwards and now covers the Sea of Japan. The typhoon is moving west across the eastern part of the Pacific, passing into the Sea of Japan and moving into the Pacific to the east of Hokkaido, and a shallow depression covers Tonkin. To-day's local forecast as stated by the Royal Observatory this morning reads:

"General overcast with occasional showers, wind from the north-east with moderate force."



An air search over the African jungle was made recently for the plane in which Lady Margaret Young, wife of the Governor of Northern Rhodesia, was flying with her pilot, from Livingstone to Lusaka, 300 miles distant. Lady Young, an experienced pilot, but the country in which she was forced to descend was thick with wild savannah. She had a narrow escape.

MR. EDEN WELCOMED IN LONDON

All Nations Have Big Parts To Play

BRITAIN'S POLICY SHOULD SUPPORT LEAGUE

London, To-day. Mr. Anthony Eden, the Foreign Secretary, was welcomed at the British Embassy by Sir John Simon, Ambassador to Britain.

Mr. Eden stated that the difficulties of the European situation were to be overcome every nation had its part to play. Ours should surely be to pursue a foreign policy which should be frank, firm and stalwart in support of the League of Nations and a collective peace system. Reuter.

Mr. Eden, who suffered considerably from a bad air passage between Prague and Cologne, decided not to continue his journey by air, as bad weather conditions still continued. He eventually reached London last night, travelling via Ostend and Dover.

Difficulties Are Not Insuperable

London, today. Mr. Anthony Eden, who arrived at Victoria Station at 8.43 p.m. yesterday, said that his travels had been strenuous, but had been really useful. He added that the difficulties of the European situation were undoubtedly formidable, but not insuperable. Reuter.

Cabinet Meeting Called For Monday

REPORTS ON EXPLORATORY VISITS TO BE MADE

London, Today. Detailed views on the European situation of the German, Russian, Polish and Czechoslovak Governments, as revealed in the conversations with the British Ministers Sir John Simon and Mr. Anthony Eden, during the talks which concluded last night on the return to England of Mr. Edens. The Lord Privy Seal, after making careful examination of the British Government.

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TYPHOON WARNING

A cyclone or typhoon is expected over the Western Islands and parts of the South China Sea to-night and to-morrow morning.

MAIL SCHEDULES

PARCEL POST

A schedule of revised parcel post rates, including many reductions, is exhibited in the Parcel Office, G.P.O. The rates will take effect as from 1st March, 1935.

Imperial Airways via Singapore
Bandung-Amsterdam via Singapore
Saigon-Marseilles via Saigon
Singapore-Australia

Correspondence will be accepted for transmission by these services. Rates and all particulars are shown in the schedules exhibited at the Post Offices. All letters etc., must be marked "By Air Mail" and be handed in at a Post Office.

INWARD MAILS.

FROM EUROPE

Apr.
Japure (Air Mail Ex Imperial Airways Service)

FROM JAPAN

Apr.
Brisbane Maru
Talma
Pres. Coolidge
Emp. of Canada
Katori Maru
Pres. Adams
Tatsuta Maru

FROM SHANGHAI

Apr.
Andre Lebon
Pres. Coolidge
Emp. of Canada
Katori Maru
Behar
Pres. Adams
Tatsuta Maru

FROM STRAITS & INDIA

Apr.
Japure (Air Mail)
Eumacau
Menton

FROM U.S.A.

Apr.
Pres. Coolidge
Emp. of Canada
Pres. Adams

FROM MANILA

Apr.
Changto

OUTWARD MAILS.

FOR EUROPE

Apr.
Pres. Lincoln (via San Francisco)
Close: Reg. 9 p.m. Ord. 4:15 p.m.
Andre Lebon (Marceline Air Mail Service)
Close: Reg. 10 a.m. Ord. 10:30 a.m.
Sarpodon (via Marseilles)
Close: Reg. 8:45 a.m. Ord. 9:30 a.m.
Conte Verde (via Bridget)
Close: Reg. 2:15 p.m. Ord. 3 p.m.

FOR JAPAN

Apr.
Navyo Maru
Pres. Lincoln
Hakone Maru

FOR SHANGHAI

Apr.
Luminous
Pres. Lincoln
Hakone Maru

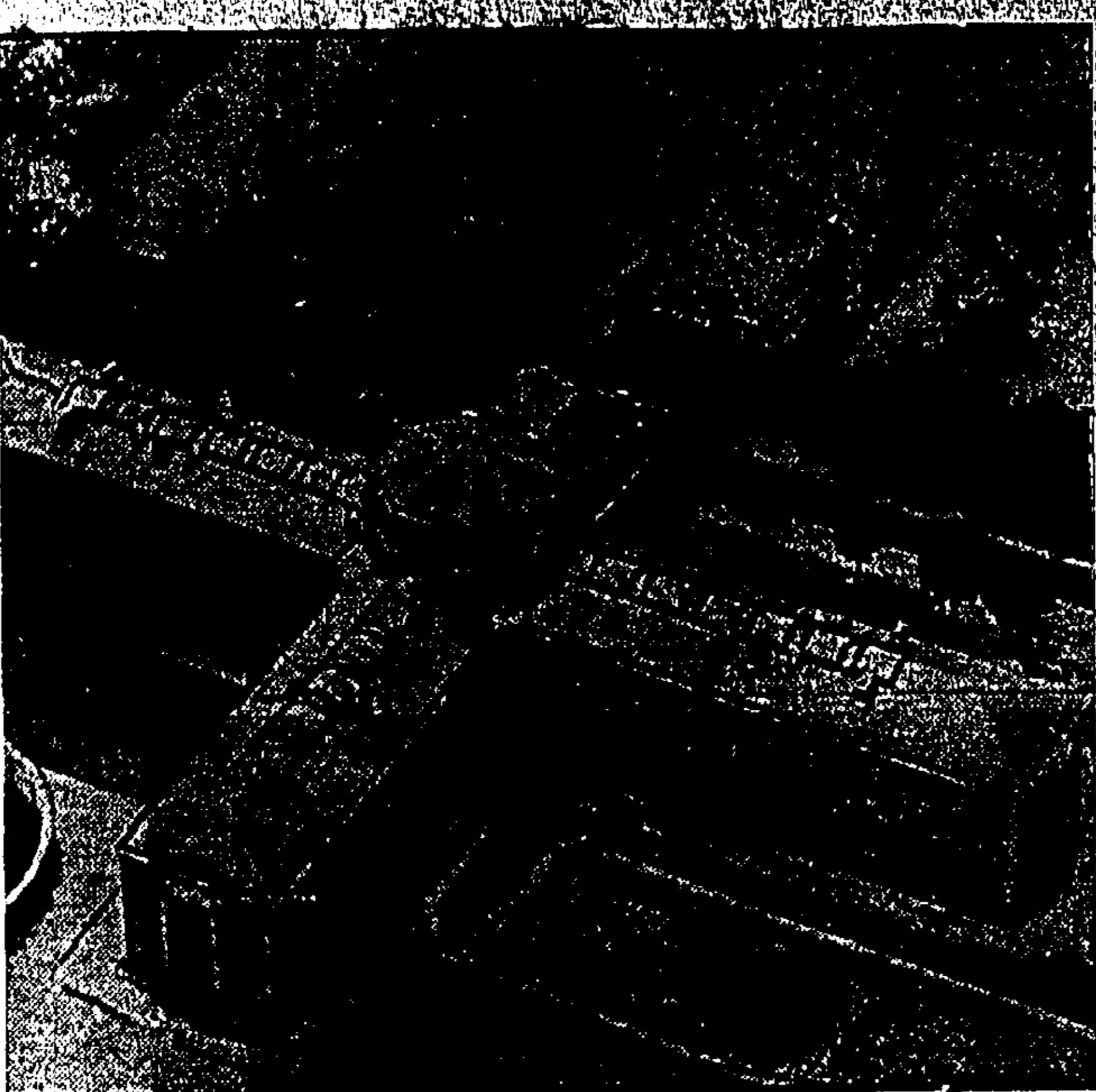
FOR STRAITS

Apr.
Cramer
Sarpodon
Conte Verde

VIA SIBERIA—Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

REGISTERED and PARCEL MAILS are closed 15 minutes earlier than the time given above unless otherwise stated and where mails are advised to close at or before 9 a.m., registered and parcel mails are closed at 6 p.m. on the previous day.

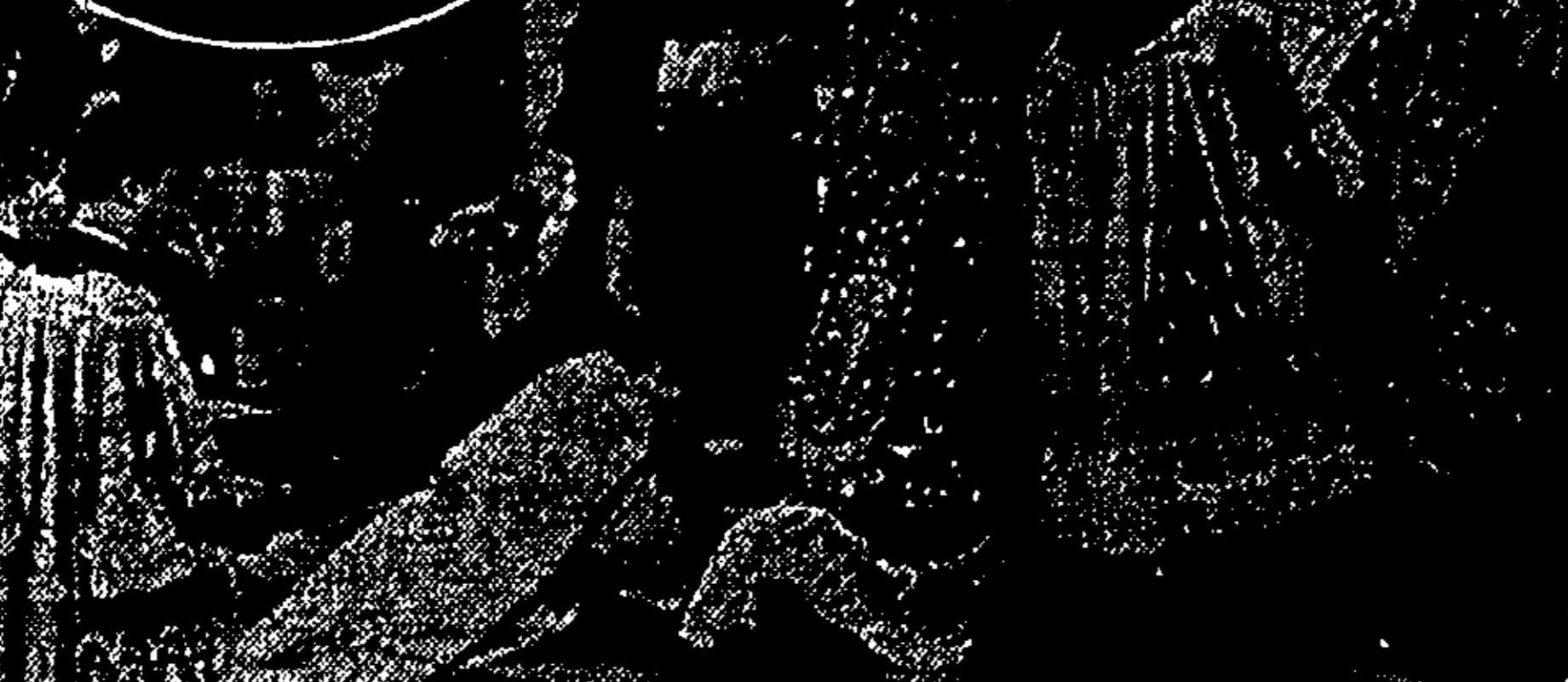
AIR MAIL—Imperial Airways via Singapore, Bandung-Amsterdam via Singapore Saigon-Marseilles via Saigon. Correspondence for Europe and intermediate countries will be accepted for transmission by these services. Rates and all particulars are shown in the schedules exhibited at the General Post Office and Kowloon Post. All letters etc., must be marked "By Air Mail" and handed in at the General Post Office. Unless superscribed for despatch by a speed-mail service, correspondence will be forwarded by the first service available.



An aerial photograph of Plötzensee Prison, Berlin, where many persons caught in the German spy net, followed to the hangman's block, the two women who were decapitated for selling Nazi war secrets to Poland. Two men were sentenced to the same fate immediately. A scaffold was set up in the courtyard of the prison, seen below.



White silk crepe entirely covered in dull white sequins, hand sewn, is used in the creation of this formal gown worn by Helen Twelvetrees. Attached to the left shoulder is a scarlet velvet scarf which also can be used for a shoulder wrap when the evening air warrants one.



Police of 12 American states have been searching for 18-year-old Julia R. Fellman, a Philadelphia banker's daughter and a student at Temple University, following her disappearance from home. Relatives fear that she is a kidnap victim.



The impressive scene as the Most Rev. Raymond A. Kearney, aged 32, prostrated himself before the altar during the ceremonies of his consecration as the Roman Catholic Auxiliary Bishop of the Brooklyn, N.Y. diocese. In front is a ciborium of Bishop Kearney in the procession. He is the youngest member of the Roman Catholic hierarchy in the world.



Those who remember Edwina Booth as the beautiful actress in the picture "Trader Horn" will not recognize this bed-ridden girl as the same person. Miss Booth has been ill for four years as the result, she charges, in a suit of tropical fever and lack of medical care while making a picture in Africa. The lower picture shows her resting at Mount Vernon, Va., and places a wreath on the resting place of America's first resident.

Setting a precedent, President Roosevelt en-

dissatisfied with the United States Supreme Court's decision on the gold issue, resigned in the resignation of Justice McReynolds. He bitterly attacked the majority's decision stating "The Constitution is gone."

Newspapermen acted as judges in the selection of Miss Helen Newlon as the beauty queen of the Vermont Winter sports carnival at Brattleboro. After she was crowned it was discovered she was from St. Louis, Conn.

Bringing Up Father

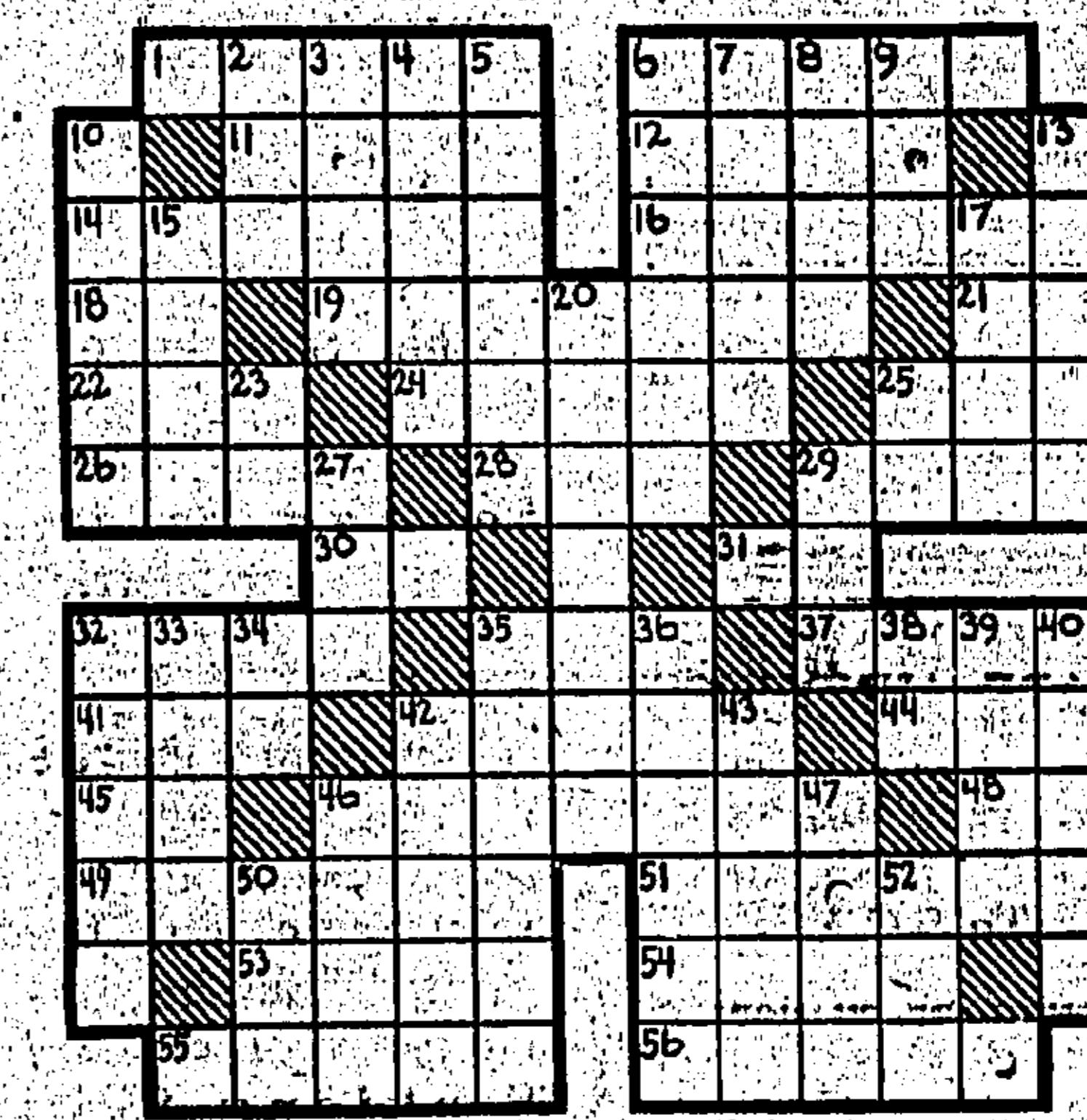


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DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and altho.



HORIZONTAL (Cont.)
1-Cult.
2-Parfume
3-Father
4-Large plant
5-Firm
6-Man's name
7-Tellurium (abbr.)
8-Prong
9-Hair on a man's chin
10-Natives of Scotland
11-Land measure
12-Territory
13-male duck
14-Park of the foot
15-God
16-Exile
17-Post
18-Vote
19-Federation
20-Kitchen utensil
21-The Orient
22-Perform
23-Earth (Lat.)
24-Sailor (collie)

VERTICAL (Cont.)
15-Augmented
16-Dispersed
17-Mid-day
18-Tars (colloq.)
19-Act
20-Preparation
21-A pastry
22-American poet
23-Poet
24-a city thoroughfare (abbr.)
25-Packed
26-Gives pleasure to
27-Near by
28-Identical
29-Look of hair
30-More genuine
31-A prank
32-Export of Italy
33-Combining form
34-Tone
35-Lace fabric

The solution of the above with a new cross-word puzzle will appear in Monday's issue.

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White Frost, Ice chest, Mirror, Gramophones, Radio, Set, Pictures, Engravings, Oil paintings, Records, Table clocks, Wall clocks, Ornaments, Table lamps, Books, Silver ware, Brass ware, Glass ware, Porcelain ware, Cutlery, Medicine chest, Typewriter, Carpets, Rugs, Linen, Lamp shades, Blankets, Mosquito nets, etc. etc.

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The REGISTER OF SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from THURSDAY, the 11th day of April to WEDNESDAY the 17th day of April, 1938, both days inclusive, during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Managers, Hong Kong, 3rd April, 1938.

SPORT NOTICES

CLUB DE RECREIO

7th Annual Athletic Meeting Sunday, 28th April 1938

OPEN RELAY RACE, Teams of 4 (2 of 220 yards and 2 of 440 yards). Race to run at 4.00 p.m. Post-entries from teams will be accepted.

FRED A. XAVIER, Hon. Secretary.

GENERAL NOTICES

ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE, Stanley.

THE SUMMER TERM will begin on THURSDAY, April 11th when New Students, whether Boarders or Day-boys, should attend for examination at 9 a.m. Prospects may be obtain from Mr. Li Ho Tung, Messrs. Banker and Co., Bank of China Building, or The Warden, St. Stephen's College, Stanley.

KING'S SILVER JUBILEE

Dollar Collection Fund

Managers of business firms and others who have employees are informed that special collection boxes for the Jubilee \$1 Collection are now available at 6 Ning Yuan Terrace, temporary headquarters of the St. John Ambulance Brigade; telephone No. 2828.

The boxes can be obtained from Mr. A. Morris, at the address mentioned above, or from Mr. S. F. Balfour, of the Colonial Secretariat.

The Collection is to begin on April 1, between which date and May 1 the boxes should be circulated;

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INTERESTING WEEK-END PROGRAMME IN LOCAL SOCCER LEAGUE

OXFORD FAVOURITES FOR BOAT RACE CAN CAMBRIDGE IMPROVE PROUD SEQUENCE? DARK BLUES TO HAVE NEW BOAT

(By "Referee")

A RACE with 100 years of tradition behind it takes place to-day when Oxford and Cambridge Universities meet in their annual boat-race from Putney to Mortlake.

There is probably no other sporting event in the world which arouses so much enthusiasm and interest, and the event itself is annually witnessed by many hundreds of thousands of spectators.

With the best times of the two crews varying very slightly, indications point to one of the closest races on record with the odds, if any, on the Dark Blues, who are determined to break a long sequence of Cambridge wins.

Oxford recorded their last victory during the last 10 years in 1923, and two years later suffered their biggest defeat when their shell was water-logged and they lost by 30 lengths.

On March 20 Oxford rowed the full course from Mortlake to Putney in 19 minutes 31 seconds, although they were paced by four other crews in relays.

The following day Cambridge had a full course trial, but their time was 41 seconds slower, which was attributed to the strong wind and rough waters.

There was a surprising development at Goring recently, where the Oxford crew are in training. For the boat-race, where P.R.S. Bankes, the 14 st. smasher of oars, was left out of the boat when the crew went afoul for the first time. His place at No. 4 was taken by J. M. Couchman, who was transferred from No. 2. The vacancy in the latter position was given to R.M. de Winser.

Hope Resumes Place

When De Winser lost his place as stroke to D.R.B. Myndes, it was thought that his chances of a "Blue" had gone.

Hope resumed his place at bow after being out of the boat for the second outing.

The latest order of rowing when the crew took to the stretch was:

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SOCER CLASSIC AT HAMPDEN PARK THIS AFTERNOON

ENGLAND MUST WIN VITAL MATCH

EIGHT NEW CAPS IN SIDE

(By "Referee")

Hampden Park, Glasgow, will today be the scene of the final International soccer classic of the season when Scotland and England meet in their "needle" encounter for the championship. To clinch the title it is imperative that England win to-day. If they lose, they will share the championship with Scotland.

In their 58 encounters to date, Scotland have won 26 games, England have won 18, and 14 have been drawn. In the last 10 years Scotland have won eight of the games and will commence as favourites to-day.

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NINE CLUB PLAYERS DEFEAT FUSILIERS

First Half Decides The Issue

In a very scrappy hockey match at King's Park yesterday afternoon nine men representing the Club juniors defeated the Fusilier Juniors by the odd goal in three, all the goals being scored in the first half.

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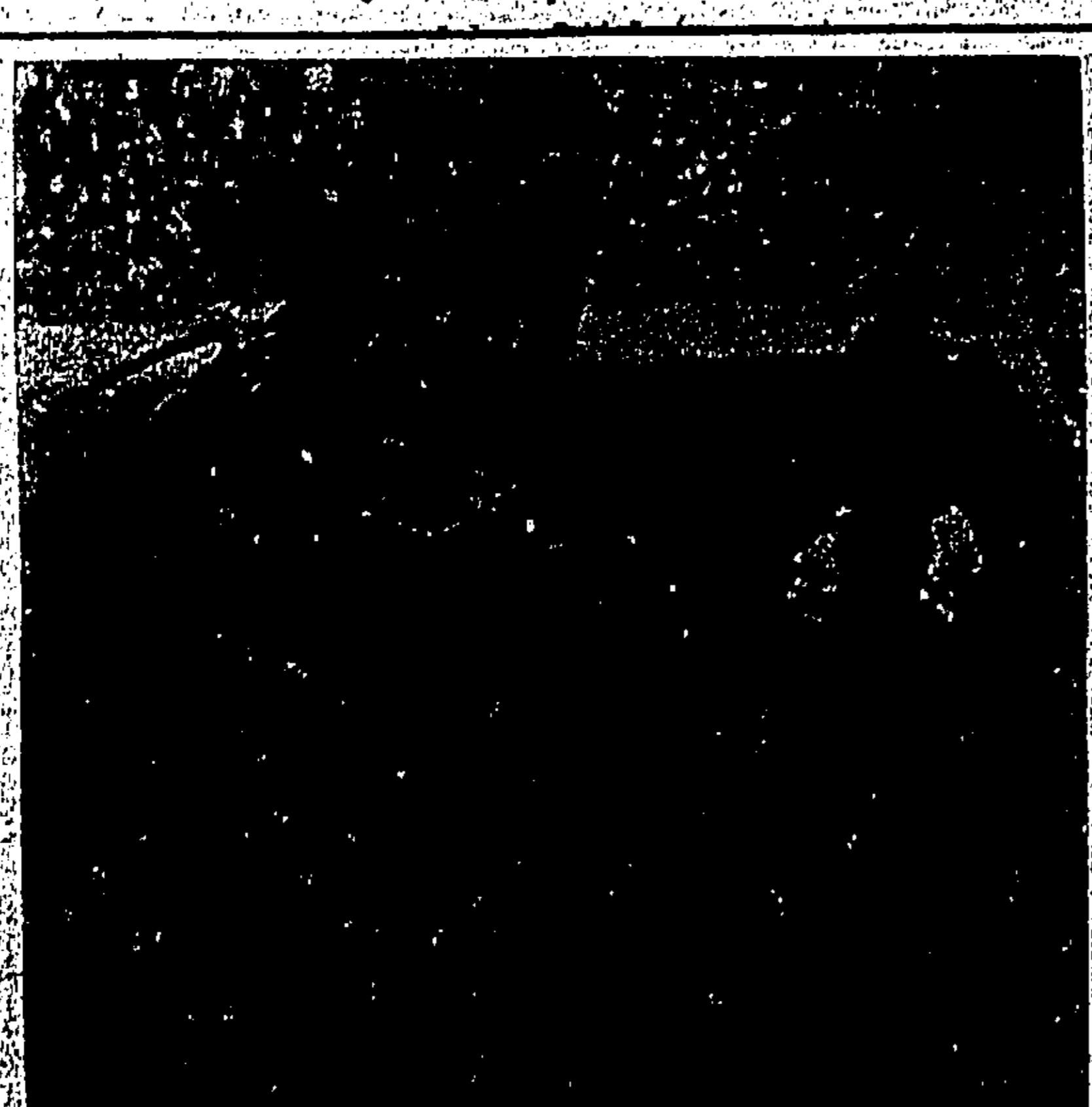
MISS OLIVE BROWN FAREWELL

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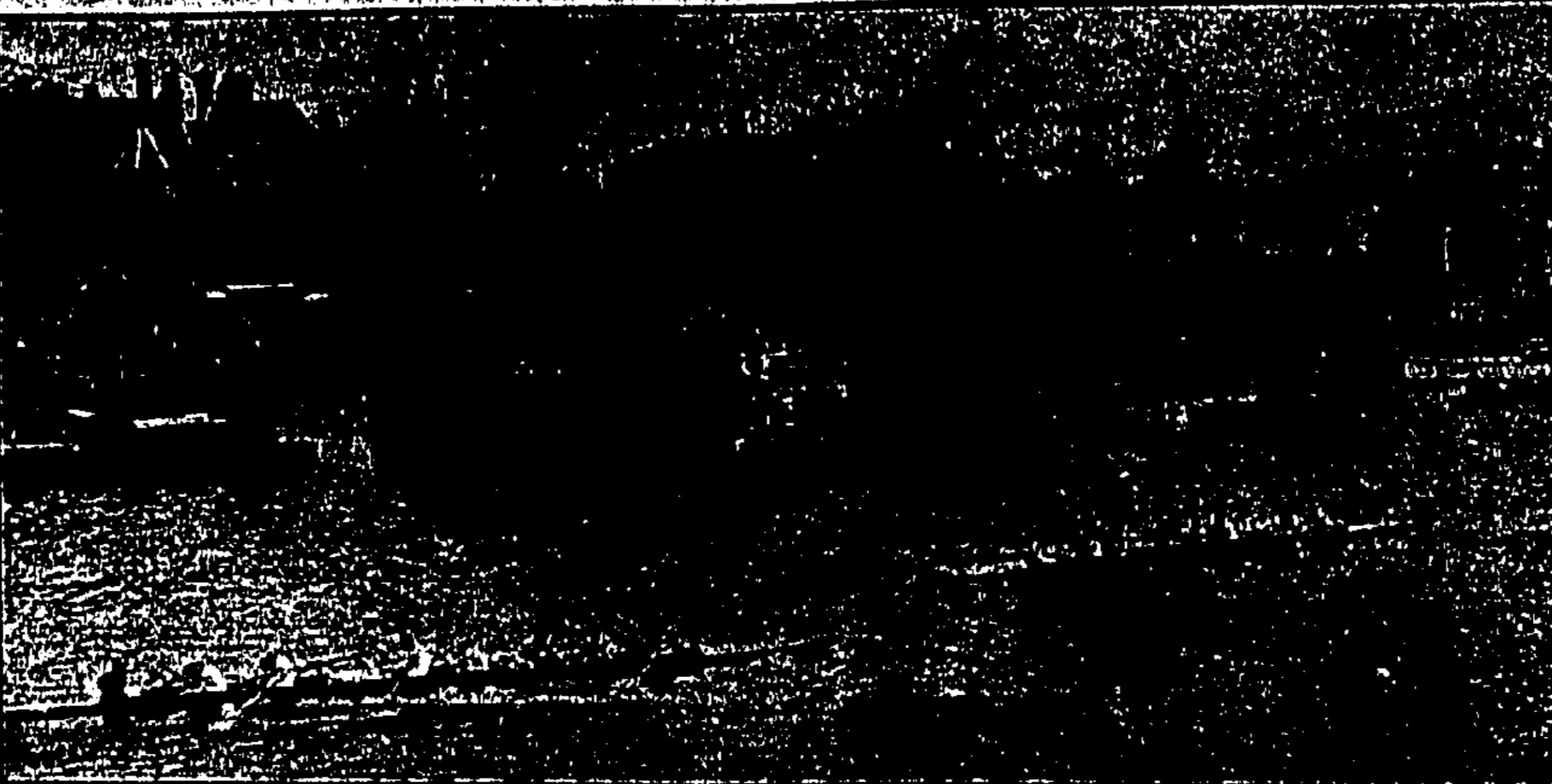
During her stay in the Colony she has played for the "Y" Ladies, captaining the team for the past two years.

She trained her Interport cap against Shanghai's Foreigners, and has represented the Rest against the Champions on the left-wing for the past three seasons.

She was farewelled by members of the "Y" Ladies Hockey Club and was the recipient of a beautiful bouquet of flowers presented to her from the team.



MISS OLIVE BROWN, captain of the "Y" Ladies, was farewelled by members of the club.



The memorable finish to last year's Oxford and Cambridge Boat-Race in which the Light Blues won by 4½ lengths to set up a new record of 18 minutes 3 seconds. The crews are seen just past the finishing line.

COMPLETE ASSISTANCE FOR TO-DAY'S PUNTERS

FULL DETAILS OF ALL PLACED PONIES THIS SEASON

IN order to give punters every opportunity of winning bets at the Third Extra Race Meeting at the Valley this afternoon, "Rapier," our racing correspondent, has compiled the following comprehensive statistics to date. The placed ponies for every race this year are included in the following lists, giving the distance over which they raced, the times recorded, their jockeys, the weights they were carrying, and the distances they won by.

China Ponies

HALF MILE

1.01.4—Strathfield (Neugebaeur) 153 lb.; High Principle (Tao) 154 lb.; Strathnairn (Proulx) 152 lb. ½ length and ½ length.

1.00.2—Belmont Star (Li) 158 lb.; Matinee Idol (Needa) 152 lb.; What About That (Deitz) 152 lb. ½ lengths and 1½.

FIVE FURLONGS

1.11.1—Soldier of Britain (Sun) 161 lb.; Oak Bay (Frost) 161 lb.; King's Fancy (Marshall) 161 lb.; short head and 2 lengths.

1.18.1—Pontiac Bay (Frost) 161 lb.; High Honour (Tao) 161 lb.; Ythan (P. Botelho) 158 lb. ½ length and short head.

1.13.4—Cavalcade (Plib) 155 lb.; Philanderer (Deitz) 158 lb.; Young Chap (P. Botelho) 162 lb. Short head, neck.

SIX FURLONGS

1.31.3—Rousseau (Needa) 161 lb.; High Honour (Tao) 161 lb.; Ythan (P. Botelho) 158 lb. 1 length and short head.

1.32.1—Lucky Strike (Needa) 155 lb.; The Chetah (Frost) 152 lb.; Wadebridge (Marshall) 161 lb. 2 lengths short head.

1.32.3—Wadebridge (F. Marshall) 161 lb.

RAPIER'S SELECTIONS

RACE 1

ALACRITY, SHOOTING STAR, WOODLAND STAG

RACE 2

PONTIAC BAY, HIGH HONOUR, MISTAKE BAY

RACE 3

GOT THAT, BOBNIAK STAR, NIGHT STAR

RACE 4

17TH SEPTEMBER, BISTRE, RACING BOY

RACE 5

DOUBLE CHANCE, PHILANDERER, BOXING EVE

RACE 6

SCI-FA, BEGINNER'S LUCK, MATINEE IDOL

RACE 7

SOLDIER OF BRITAIN

HEROD, COSSACKS' BEAUTY

RACE 8

OAK BAY, SOLDIER OF GERMANY, KING'S FANCY

RACE 9

YTHAN, FLYBYNIGHT, SOLDIER OF VICTORY

DAILY DOUBLE

17TH SEPTEMBER AND SCI-FA

Australian Ponies

FIVE FURLONGS

1.04.4—Mount Pilatus (Black) 152 lb.; Goldsmith (Deitz) 149 lb.; Shooting Star (Li) 167 lb. Length and 2 lengths.

SIX FURLONGS

1.19.3—Derby Day (Plib) 156 lb.; Got That (Deitz) 155 lb.; Southern Cross (Ho) 153 ¾ lengths and 2 lengths.

1.20.1—Rose Ann (Needa) 152 lb.; The Bean Goose (Frost) 152 lb.; Shooting Star (Li) 155 lb. 3 lengths and a neck.

1.17.2—Bobniak Star (Li) 165 lb.; Night Star (Butler) 154 lb.; Mount Pilatus (Frost) 161 lb. 1½ lengths and 2.

ONE MILE

1.43.4—Southern Cross (Ho) 152 lb.; Mount Pilatus (Black) 162 lb.; Snowy River (Needa) 152 lb. 1½ lengths and 1½.

1.47.3—Cold Morning (Fung) 162 lb.; The Bean Goose (Frost) 158 lb.; Shooting Star (Li) 165 lb. 1½ lengths and 4.

1.48.0—Got That (Deitz) 155 lb.; Goldsmith (Frost) 149 lb.; Snowy River (Davis) 149 lb. Two and 4 lengths.

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NEW ZEALAND L.T.A. MAKE \$900 ON PERRY'S VISIT

New Zealand L.T.A. Association announced that a profit of \$900 was made on the visit of F. J. Perry and the other members of the British team that recently toured New Zealand.

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POINTER TO SENIOR SHIELD RESULT

CLUB'S STRENUOUS TASK THIS AFTERNOON

NAVY'S DOUBLE PROGRAMME

(By "ROVER")

A pointer to the Senior Shield result will be given on the Kowloon Football Club ground this afternoon when the finalists, the Police and South China "B," meet in the First Division of the soccer League.

On the Club ground the home team entertain the Recreio and are fielding a very strong side in the hope of making sure of the runners-up position in the Senior League.

South China "A," who meet the East Lancs at Caroline Hill, will be without the services of Wong Wing, their skipper and custodian, who has left the Colony for Swatow on a business trip.

Pau Ka-ping who has played in several games for South China "B" will probably deputise between the sticks.

Good Inside Forward

It is a complete mystery why he never plays at forward, for he was one of the League champion's inside-men two seasons ago when South China snatched the championship from the Royal Artillery.

The Club, who have produced very inconsistent form throughout the season, have very surprisingly reached the runners-up position, but to keep there they must win their four remaining games.

They have yet to play the Navy twice, the Fusiliers and Kowloon.

Athletic Losses

The Navy should experience no difficulty in obtaining both points from Kowloon whom they entertain at

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To-day

FIRST DIVISION

ARTILLERY v. FUSILIERS

(Happy Valley, 4.45 p.m.)

CLUB v. RECREIO

(Kowloon, 4.45 p.m.)

S. CHINA "A" v. EAST LANC'S

(Caroline Hill, 4.45 p.m.)

POLICE v. S. CHINA "B"

(Kowloon, 4.45 p.m.)

NAVY v. KOWLOON

(Causeway Bay, 4.45 p.m.)

SECOND DIVISION

S. CHINA v. KOWLOON

(Caroline Hill, 3.15 p.m.)

R.E. v. CLUB

(Club, 3.15 p.m.)

EAST LANC'S v. FUSILIERS

(Chatham Ed., 4.45 p.m.)

NAVY v. NAVY

(Causeway Bay, 3.15 p.m.)

ARTILLERY v. LINCOLNS

(King's Park, 3.15 p.m.)

UNIVERSITY v. ATHLETIC

(Kowloon, 3.15 p.m.)

THIRD DIVISION

FUSILIERS v. E.O.C.

(Happy Valley, 3.15 p.m.)

To-morrow

FIRST DIVISION

ATHLETIC v. NAVY

(Club, 4.45 p.m.)

St. Joseph's v. LINCOLNS

(Caroline Hill, 4.45 p.m.)

SECOND DIVISION

South China v. UNIVERSITY

(Caroline Hill, 3.15 p.m.)

FUSILIERS v. ATHLETIC

(Club, 3.15 p.m.)

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"SKIP" REVIEWS LOCAL BOWLS PROSPECTS**COLONY STANDARD IS FAST PROGRESSING
BOWLING GREEN CLUB CHALLENGE****KOWLOON DOCK'S GREAT EFFORT**

(By "Skip")

LAWN bowlers are looking forward with pleasure and anticipation to the season which will commence on April 27. Development, ability and enthusiasm has been observed in all clubs.

I have watched the growth of lawn bowls in this Colony for many years, and I am delighted at its progress. I have seen some of the champions of the day throw their first bowl — I must admit in a very awkward and uncertain way. There is something amusing in the first efforts of anyone who takes up this game, but perseverance generally has its reward, and ultimately the budding champion is able to confine his shots to the limits of one risk only.

The marked ability which has developed so rapidly, and has levelled things so completely in all the Clubs during the past year, is all for the good of the game. It would be a very wise man indeed, who could say with certainty who will win the Open Singles Championship or League Championship this year.

The season we are about to commence is fraught with the greatest of interest, and though I consider the League champions, the Craigen-gower Cricket Club, have still the talent to win League honours again, there is nothing absolutely certain.

The ability which the Craigen-gower players possess lies not only in their control of the game, governed by that live-wire, B. W. Bradbury, for whom I have the greatest admiration, but also in their unquestionable determination to win.

This Season's Danger

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The Kowloon Bowling Green Club, I think, will offer the greatest opposition and their interest as regards the choice of players, will be safeguarded by Louis Guy and Maurice Henderson.

The Civil Service Club will also have something to say about the destination of his year's League Championship. I cannot allow this moment to pass without commenting upon the great record of my old friend, Arthur Grimmitt.

Grimmitt's Year

The year 1934 will always be remembered in bowling circles as "Grimmitt's Year." Let me state, and without any fear of contradiction, that Grimmitt was a finished and a deadly bowler many years prior to

LEE WAI TONG LOSES GREAT OPPORTUNITY

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England's New "Caps" —

Of the English eleven only three players, Hibbs, Bastin, and Brook have figured in International matches before.

Hibbs first played in 1929 against

South Africa and on 19 subsequent occasions he has kept goal for Eng-

land, appearing against Scotland,

Ireland, Wales, Austria, Germany,

Spain, Italy, Sweden and France

In addition to his debut match

against South Africa.

Brook was first "capped" in 1930

against Ireland and he has also

played against Scotland, Wales,

Sweden, France, Hungary, and

Czechoslovakia.

Bastin, the England inside-left,

made his International debut in

1932 when he was selected to play

against Wales. He too has played

against Scotland, Ireland, Italy,

Sweden, Hungary and Czechoslo-

vakia.

On the other hand Scotland are

relying almost entirely on their

old Internationals, there only be-

ing three new "caps" Cummings,

Simpson and Walker.

The teams are —

England — Hibbs (Birmingham),

Male (Arsenal), and Haigood

(Arsenal); Britton (Everton), Parker

(Derby) and Bray (Manchester City);

Geldard (Everton), Bastin (Arsenal),

Gurney (Sunderland), Westwood (Bo-

ton), and Brook (Manchester City).

Scotland — Jackson (Chelsea), An-

dersen (Hearts), and Cummings

(Rangers); Mason (Hearts), Simson

(Rangers) and Brown (Rangers);

Walker (Colts), McNeill (Rangers),

Foley (Derby) and Duncan (Derby).

TABLE TO DATE

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NINE CLUB PLAYERS

DEFEAT FUSILIERS

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Cox, at inside-left, scored the

first goal for the Club, and the

Fusiliers equalized through Dandy

Centre Forward. A few minutes be-

fore the interval Cotter, the Club's

leader, netted the winning goal.

Throughout the second half, the

Fusiliers had the better of the play,

but wild shooting spoiled their

numerous openings.

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The Nicest way—

Of Planning The Child's Meals In Hot Weather



LET us remember that little folks, too, are people with distinct likes and dislikes as to what they eat, especially in summer. No modern mother will doubt the wisdom of having the child eat because he enjoys his food rather than because he is coaxed and cajoled into taking proper nourishment; nor will she doubt that many of the once despised dishes can be so camouflaged as to be regarded as a treat.

Milk and fruit must become the chief items in the child's diet, but they alone will not suffice: the mother must not lose sight of the fact that nourishing and tempting foods which are not too heating, do form important parts in the day's diet. Cheese can be prepared deliciously as a substitute for meat. Cheese is a highly nutritious food—milk reduced to solid form. It contains higher percentage of protein than meat, and as much if not more than eggs. Combine it then with other essential building-up foods like vegetables and nuts.

Baked apples and baked bananas possess good food value, and the latter supplies starch in more attractive manner than bread. Many children go off eggs in summer-time but they must be introduced in novel ways on account of their iron content. Fish must be made attractive for summer meals and mayonnaise can be served in a variety of guises. Cold boiled fish or salmon can be served with layers of

tomato and lettuce or other green leaves such as watercress, cabbage heart leaves, shredded Brussels sprouts, and chopped celery.

Make your blancmanges with fresh fruit juices, the greater the variety in flavour and colour the better it will tempt jaded appetites. Eggs can be introduced into these without proclaiming themselves. The ideal drink for the increased summer thirst is barley water: it is healthy, refreshing and satisfying. A fresh lemon drink is also to be recommended.

Particularly study the tastes in luncheon sandwiches. These need not be a dull fare. If each child has (say) four sandwiches for lunch never have them all with the same filling. Make each one different, two savoury and two sweet. Many sweet fillings, such as chopped dates, are highly nourishing. The child's interest in opening up the lunch packet will repay the extra work.

Here are some suggested menus:

Breakfast
Ripe banana
Cereal and cold milk
Buttered toast and piece of sweet milk cheese
Nuts and raisins

Lunch For School
Three brown bread sandwiches filled with meat extract and watercress, tomato and sliced egg, lemon curd and chopped nuts.

Two small scones with butter and jam.
Dates stuffed with almonds.
Bottle of orange juice.

Supper
Cold chicken
Cheese and Spinach en Casserole
Mashed potatoes
Lettuce or some fresh green salad
Milk jelly and stewed fruit
Cheese and Spinach en Casserole consists of: 1/2 lbs. raw spinach; 1/2 lb. cheddar cheese; 1 teaspoon salt; 1/2 teaspoon pepper; 1 cup milk; 1 cup buttered bread crumbs; bacon strips.

Heat the milk in double boiler to scalding point. Add the diced cheese and seasoning, beat with an egg-beater until the mixture is smooth. Have the spinach cooked and drained. Stir the

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And a little about the diet: no more, cream buns or cocktails, unless its tomato juice of course. Tomato juice is rich in vitamins and will do good things to your skin too. Orange juice too will lessen hunger without adding weight and is an excellent substitute for coffee. Fruits and

cheese mixture through the spinach, pour into buttered baking dish, sprinkle with buttered bread-crumbs. Bake in moderate oven about 15 mins. Lay strips of bacon on top before baking.

Milk jelly is made with 4 breakfast cups milk; 4 dessert-spoons gelatine; 4 dessert-spoons sugar; essence of vanilla to taste.

Place the milk, sugar and gelatine in a saucepan on the fire, and stir until the gelatine is dissolved. Do not boil (otherwise it will curdle). Wet a mould, pour mixture in and lay aside to set. Do not heat the mixture any more than is enough to dissolve the gelatine and sugar. Keep on ice until ready to serve.

Breakfast

Orange juice
Small corn-flower mould with cream
Lightly poached egg
Brown bread toast

Honey
Milk or weak tea

Lunch At School

Varied sandwiches
Plain milk chocolate slab

Afternoon Snack

Barley water to drink
Baked apple

Supper

Biscuits and cheese

Chicken broth

Small grilled chop

Cauliflower

Green peas

Potatoes

Fruit compote and egg custard

Any stewed fruit or fresh fruit may be served as a variation to compote.

Breakfast

Stewed fruit

Prepared cereal and cream

Fish omelette

Bread and butter

Lunch At School

Small Cornish pasties

Varied Sandwiches

Fresh fruit

Lemon syrup

Make Cornish pasties with minced chicken and ham, in a light thin crust. A tasty and sustaining variation.

salads and vegetables, brown bread, cereals and crisp toast; but cut out cakes and nuts and sweets.

Here's an exercise you can do, with your companion when you can arrange to meet. Sit back to back on the floor, with hands clasped behind the head, and legs stretched out in front. Now imitate a see-saw—one presses backward, the other resists the pressure but bends forward. Then reverse. Don't do it too quickly, for the muscles benefit in resisting the pressure; it's good for tummies and seats. And of course don't do your exercises in any but the lightest of tunics, or your bathing costume will do very well.

Now put on the gramaphone and try some rhythmical high kicks. You'll enjoy it. Clasp each other firmly round the waist and kick as high as you can in time to the music; or go up in degrees from a little kick to one as high as you can get. Then try round kicks: first kick the leg up in front, then, holding it at the same level, bring it round to the side and down. Then try side kicks; your hands on your hips and out—like two of Cochran's chorus! But wait till your wind has improved before you try any more.

Afternoon Snack

Mixed fruit salad

Sponge rusks and jam

If fruit salads are made in small, individual dishes children will often prefer this in the afternoon heat to the conventional tea and cake.

Dinner

Boiled fish and parsley sauce

Butter beans and spinach; or raw grated carrot with mashed potatoes

Fruit blancmange with lemon juice

Papaya

As you see there is no need to force the child to eat food distasteful to it. Every child likes certain foods that are nourishing and the enterprising mother can find all manner of attractive ways to serve a balanced diet to the most exacting little appetite.

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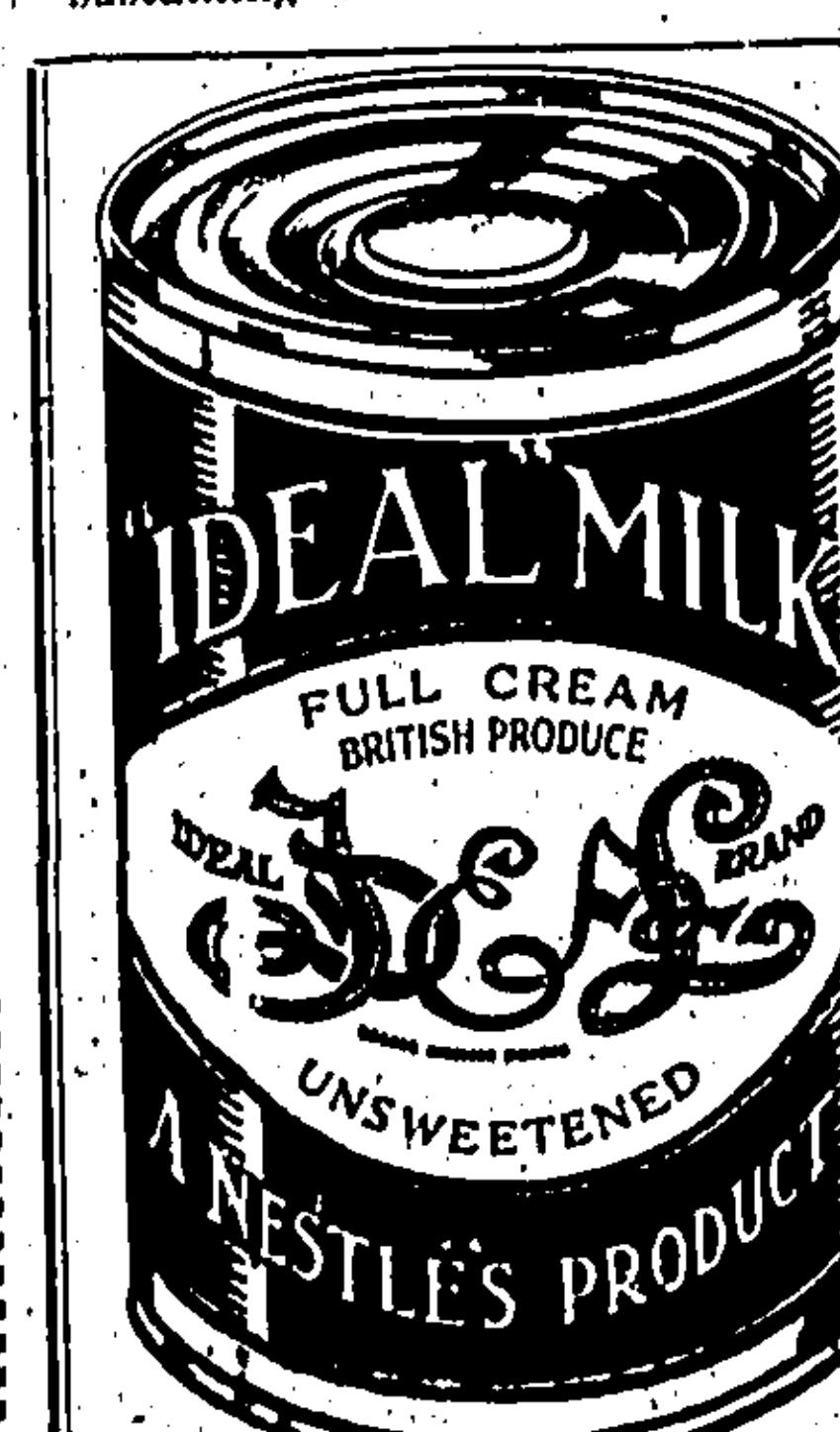
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All the little fripperies that women love to collect for best occasions, such as chiffon hankies and stockings, downy powder-puffs, cigarette cases, gloves, lipsticks and pouchettes are more enticing than ever this year. The latest flap-jacks for evening are cut entirely of glass. There is also the most compact vanity case, cigarette case and lighter combined which is just made for the tiny evening bag. It is the vogue to wear your initials in French paste or dull beads encrusted on the flap of your evening bag.

Belts are shaped into the waist again, and you can fasten them with hooks or thongs, or clamp them together with bits of steel or wood. Light summertime motifs can be used as decorative buckles: I saw one the other day in the shape of a jaunty music note.

For The Fashionable Real Lace. It is wise to wash such delicate articles as real lace, georgette, organdie, and the like, in a wide-mouthed glass jar filled with warm soapy water and borax, or a weak solution of ammonia water. Do not rub with the hands or use much soap. Just shake the articles in the jar, changing the water until they are clean. If stiffening is required, use a little rice water or dissolved sugar.

Iodine Stain On Linen.—Iodine stains can be removed from bed linen by saturating the stains in cold water and then covering them thickly with bicarbonate of soda. Tarnished Gilt.—A gilt clock which has become tarnished should be dusted well, and then wiped with a soft cloth wrung out of warm water and ammonia, using one part of ammonia to nine parts of water. Dry thoroughly and polish lightly with a duster.

Worn Furniture.—A little white of egg painted on the worn part of leather furniture will completely prevent further wear at that spot and will greatly improve the appearance. If the leather is tinted and the colour has worn off, paint it with water paint to match before putting on the egg white.

Scorch Marks.—You can deal with them if they are not too stubborn. Make a paste of ray, onion and fuller's earth, or of bicarbonate of soda and water. Apply a little, leave to dry, then wash off. A surface of scorch on silk will react to glycerine and borax spread over and left for an hour. Then sponge and wash in clear water.

Milk Jugs.—Always rinse milk jugs in cold water after use. Hot water hardens the albumen on to the sides of the jug, and this will tend to turn fresh milk sour when the jug is filled again.

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HOME SUPPLEMENT

No. 4

HONG KONG, SATURDAY, APRIL 6, 1935

No. 4

Impressions

I read in the papers last week that the Governor of New York State has signed a bill abolishing "breach of promise suits on the ground that they have been made instruments of blackmail. Those who know the abuses of this law can only receive the news with satisfaction. But this is only one of a series of legislations passed all over the world that cause us to reflect.

Before the war woman was treated with what seems to us an old-time chivalry; and, it was thought that she was incapable of doing ordinary industrial work. The rich, of course, have never cared for their women to work at all. But during the war woman appeared and showed herself quite capable of doing things successfully, to the general astonishment. They organised themselves; they were to come into their own, and the world was to be all the better for it. But although they have received the vote, the right to practice most professions and a general "emancipation," perhaps the measure given with one hand is taken back with the other.

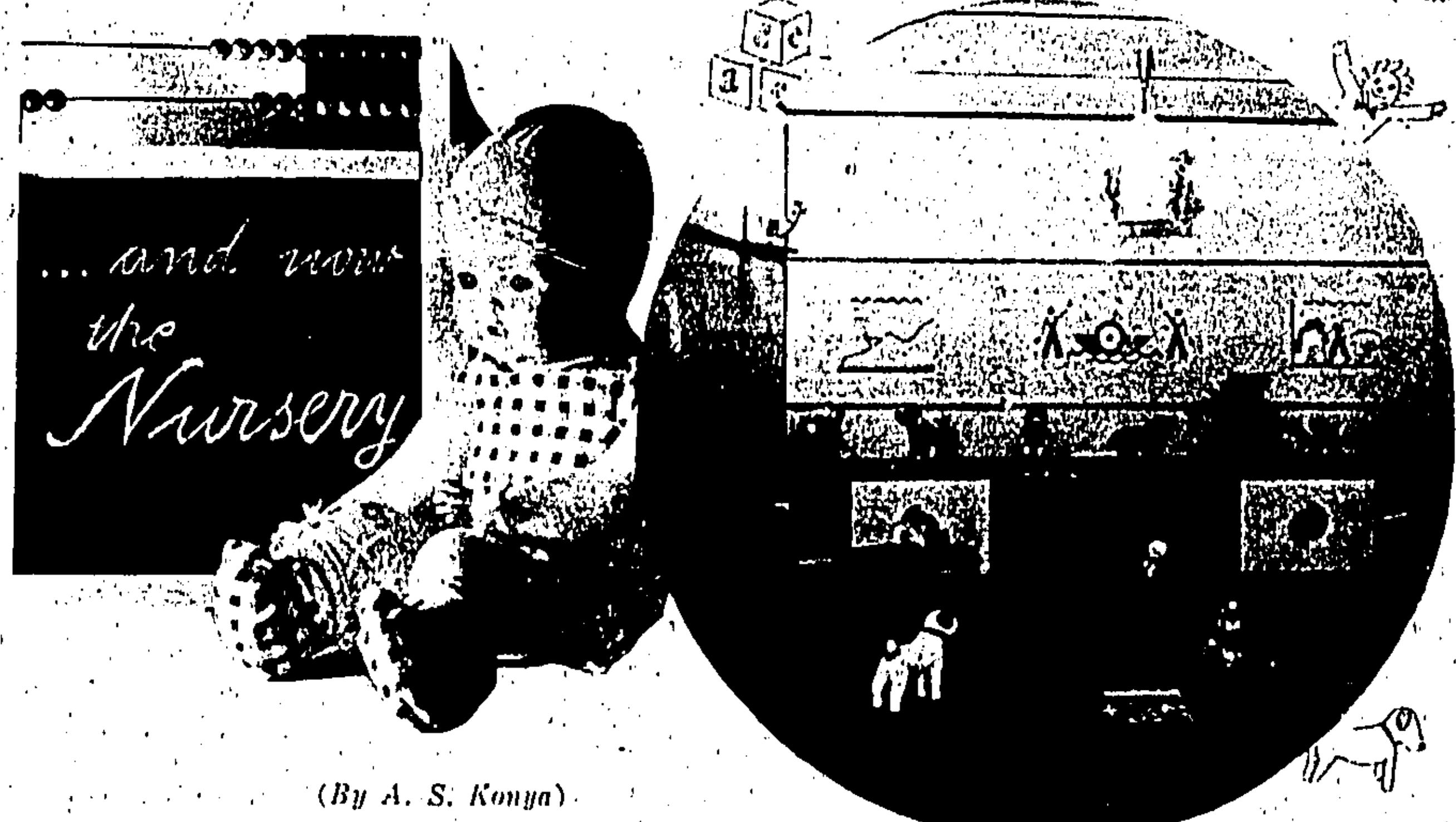
Women are no longer the pets of the law; but have rather come to be regarded as, on an equal footing with men. Although this may often be a good thing, it must be remembered that the majority of women workers receive favour only where their present lack of organisation can be taken advantage of. And in such cases they are paid but a half to two-thirds of what a man would receive for the same work. The mass of younger women still regard work as an interlude preceding marriage, and so seldom put into it the man's ambition and seldom rise to executive positions. They are indeed often debarred altogether from competing for such positions; so there is still a general belief in the inferiority of women's work. To get little more than half a man's salary means in reality that she has but that percentage of his freedom and his confidence.

But, though women have without doubt considerably enlarged their scope, the fact remains that there are still occasions when she cannot act in the same way as a man is capable of doing. And what special consideration she did have is gradually disappearing from the law books. She is being given a misleading status in law above the degree of "equality" she has obtained, and the compensatory balance does not appear to be on her side.

Woman is almost abruptly exposed. Tradition is still strong enough for the business woman to feel the general atmosphere of antagonism; she is expected to live more timidly, and there is still considerable doubt as to the possibility of her emotional stability. The business man is free from these prejudiced opinions. But the majority of women are still economically dependent and these women are educated only in the fine art of individual spending; of industrial and economic functions they are, by virtue of their position, ignorant. Are they capable then of facing a legal status that has ceased to regard them as parasites?

Phyllis Juby.

Make your own home



(By A. S. Konya)

CHILD - PSYCHOLOGISTS and educators have so often impressed upon us the importance of the environment in which a child grows up that their conclusions are in danger of becoming platitudes.

All agree that the impressions of the child's earliest and most susceptible years will leave the deepest mark on his character. Granted this, and taking into consideration the peculiar conditions existing in Hong Kong (lack of playgrounds, the great number of rainy days which force the children indoors, the excessive heat) it is very important that the nursery should be not just another room in the house, but carefully planned. How should the innocent parent, who is neither a child-psychologist nor interior-decorator go about it? Here are a few points to observe.

A nursery should be airy and bright; everything in it should inspire cheerfulness. Select, if pos-

sible, a corner room. Dark and badly ventilated rooms will effect the health of children even more than they will adults. The walls should be bright and colourful, with pictures, or, if possible, painted and stencilled wall decorations of simple style which appeals to children. It is a delightful pastime to allow the children to decorate the walls of their own room. If proper guidance is available, they can paint directly on the wall with poster colours, otherwise on sheets of paper. In every nursery there should be a black-board with an ample supply of coloured chalks.

The furniture should be carefully selected. It should be easy to clean and of as simple construction as possible, with plain surfaces and no sharp corners on which the children can hurt themselves. Colours should be lively (within taste), so that the children can find pleasure in them. The furniture in a nursery should be of light construction—a sort of toy, as children like to use chairs and small tables in their play.

Nursery designed by the author in shades of pale green. Note the ceiling light in the shape of a merry-go-round, and the toy cupboard with built-in blackboard.

The Gentleman from China

WHEN you take your dog out walking, both ends of the leash ought to feel temperamentally akin: you must be people of the same type or the partnership will not be an understanding one. But then you may be interested in other facts about the Chow Chow as a pet and friend.

He is a first-class watchman, for, as he is not constantly yapping, when he barks he really has something to say. If he's well trained, he's good with children: indeed, being somewhat of a mandarin, he can even teach them manners. He is a product of Northern China; and the blue Chow is China's sacred dog. They are dignified dogs, and unsociable with strangers, though, when handled properly, they are courteous with people outside the family. With those they love they are kind, considerate, and extremely obedient; quiet and unobtrusive around the house.

To be sure, a Chow is stubborn as he has a mind and judgment of his own. He thinks and studies the human character; but few humans understand this aloof and self-possessed Oriental.

His colours are his own—the red of ancient lacquer, ebony-black, a dusky blue with a tongue-yellow and white which is rarer. His scowl, too, is his own, formed by the wrinkles on his forehead—does that account for the amazing stories told about his uncanny intelligence? No! The strange part of it is, they're nearly always quite true. In choosing from the little Teddy Bears, look for a short back, dense coat, good bone, short feet and well twisted tail—and try not to hug this lovely young pet to excess!



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Nine-inch squares made of soft cotton material are handy to have when bottle-feeding the infant. Any milk which might creep from the corner of the mouth can be quickly wiped with one of these cloths and so keep his smock fresh. Immediately after feeding rinse baby's bottle with cold water and every speck of milk will vanish.

Sing to the baby when he has his bath; it becomes a joyous adventure for him. His smiles and gurglings will tell you how he loves it. And cut baby's fingernails while he sleeps so as to make it an easier task.

An individual aluminum egg cooker bought quite cheaply is excellent for heating baby's first vegetables. The water in the lower part prevents the food from burning and will also keep the food warm when baby eats.

Be extremely careful to hold a young baby in the correct manner. For the first few months the baby's head and back should always be supported by the arm. Probably the most comfortable way is to support the body on the palm and open fingers of the hand, allowing the baby's back and head to rest on the forearm of the same arm. The legs and feet can be supported by the other hand. When the baby is to be held on its mother's lap, it is a good plan to allow it to lie face downward. If there is a tendency for the back to sag downwards and the legs to drag it is well to place a pillow across the knees and allow the baby to lie upon the pillow.

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IT begins to rain—and powder and rouge take leave of their senses, leaving us, to say the least, unattractive. But at last a make-up has been found that will endure the wind and rain, and allow you to arrive with the same loveliness as you set out with.

Elizabeth Arden's Protecto Cream is the ideal foundation, as it is quite impervious to water, and, while protecting the skin from exposure, gives it a velvety finish. You can mix it with a little skin tonic to thin it and then apply with a pad of cotton wool. It is in five different shades, too, to suit any complexion. But those who are troubled with an oily skin should use an astringent lotion as a foundation instead of a cream.

Helen Rubinstein's Sun and Windproof Cream is a sound protection for the very sensitive skin, and is invaluable in restoring delicacy and smoothness. And if your nose gets red out-of-doors use Elvira's preparation "Noshine."

Powder rouge is useless in bad weather! Elizabeth Arden's cream rouge, which is waterproof, protects the skin, giving it a lovely

pearl finish. Then Leichner makes an indelible lipstick which is waterproof, besides being fresh and nourishing. The Lenthalic lipstick is quite safe too. And, lastly, Helen Rubinstein makes a harmless and infinitely useful waterproof mascara. You'll find this make-up flattering to your beauty on a rainy day.

Care for your face every day—it's a breathing, growing thing that you can shape and beautify through all your life. Cleanse your skin, keep it active and protect it. Each night there should be a thorough cleansing. Make a lather of a pure plain soap, and warm water, and, after rinsing thoroughly in warm water, turn on the cold, tap and splash the face till it tingles. The water in Hong Kong is soft enough for even sensitive skins.

Then cleanse with cream. A cream that does the double duty of cleansing and nourishing can be used. The cream is applied with the fingers, the lotion with a piece of cotton wool. Smooth on gently, beginning from the chin and going up and out toward the temples, then across the forehead, round the nose, across the upper lip and round the eyes. The skin should not be rubbed hard. The cream left on for a few minutes to loosen the dirt, and then wiped off with a soft, clean cloth, paper tissue or cotton wool.

An active skin is invariably healthy and beautiful. Always be careful to use an upward movement when applying soap or creams, the face can be helped up—or down. Your face is a part of your body, thus, if your body is healthy and vigorous, your skin will show it. Eat plain healthy food and drink plenty of water. If your skin is over-oily avoid pastries and fried foods, but eat plenty of fruit, salads and vegetables. Protect the skin from extreme cold, hot sun, wind, grimy air and hard water. Use a powder that suits and pleases you in every way; don't mind a few experiments until you are sure you've found the very best.



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H.K. VOLUNTEER**ORDERS FOR THE COMING WEEK**

Orders by Lieut.-Colonel H. B. L. Dowbiggin, O.B.E., Commandant, Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps.

Hong Kong,
Friday, 5th April, 1935.

GENERAL PROMOTION:

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve the promotion of Second Lieutenant Francisco Paulo Sequeira to the rank of Lieutenant in the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps with effect from 1st March, 1935.

Government Gazette No. 15 dated 29.3.35.

OFFICER'S MESS RULES:
A copy of the Mess Rules (1935) has been sent to each Officer (except attached). If the copy is not received by 8th April, please apply to Hon. Mess Secretary.

PARADE

Corps 1st Battery
The Battery will parade at Belcher's Fort on Thursday 11th April at 6 p.m.

Dress:—Blue Caps, Overalls, Platform shoes.

As this will be the last parade of the Training Season it is hoped that all ranks will make every effort to be present.

Corps Engineers

Parade at Miniature Range on Monday, 8th April, 1935 at 5.30 p.m.
Thursday, April 11th—Belcher's Fort at 6 p.m. for D. L. Training.

Sunday, April 14th—Shoot at Peak Range.

Corps Signals

Parade at Corps Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, 9th April; 1935.

Corps Machine Gun Battalion
No. 2 (Scottish) Company

Parade at Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. under Lieut. A. W. Brown for Arms Drill. Belt and Frogs must be worn.

Corps Infantry (Portuguese)
There will be no parade until further notice.

MUSKETRY:—Stonecutters—
April 7th. Those men who have not fired Part 111 and the Interport Team should attend at Stonecutters to fire with the Casuals of the Corps.

Launch leaves Queen's Pier at 8.30 a.m. calling Kowloon Pier at 8.40 a.m.

The Interport Team must attend in Uniform.

LECTURE

Major T. F. Kennedy, O.B.E., M.B., R.A.M.C., will lecture to the Medical Section (all ranks) at Volunteer Headquarters on Thursday, 11th April, 1935 at 5.30 p.m. on "Medical Services in the Field."

All ranks are requested to attend.

PEAK RANGE—ALLOTMENT
Sunday, 14th April 1935—Engineer Company. (Nos. 3 and 4 Targets only).

DRESS—OFFICER

Summer Mess Dress will be worn from to-day's date.

LEAVE

Lieut. J. Smith, R.O.D. Cadre, granted leave of absence from 5th to 16th April 1935 (inclusive).

No. 1034, Cpl. H. L. Lockhart, Engineer Company, granted ten months leave as from 1st April 1935 to 31st January, 1936.

No. 1691, Trooper D. B. Evans, M.G. Troop, granted eight months leave as from 31.3.35 to 30.11.35.

No. 1988, Pte. C. Austin, armoured Car Section, granted eight months leave as from 1.3.35 to 31.10.35.

No. 1754, Pte. M. Ferguson, No. 6 Platoon, No. 2 (Scottish) Coy, granted ten months leave as from 23.3.35 to 22.1.36.

No. 1619, Pte. C. D'Almada e Castro, No. 12 Platoon, Corps Infantry, granted nine months leave as from 15.2.35 to 14.11.35.

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No. 817, Pte. H. A. Angus, No. 7 Platoon, No. 2 (Scottish) Company, as from 10.2.35.

No. 1303, Pte. R. Morrison, Reserve Company, "B" Section, as from 7.2.35.

Left the Colony

No. 2190, Pte. W. B. Sharpe, M.M.G. Section, as from 20.3.35.

No. 1782, Pte. J. Hunter, No. 13 Platoon, No. 3 (Anzac) Company, as from 1.3.35.

Having Left the Colony

No. 1453 L/Cpl. G. W. E. True, No. 4 Platoon, as from 29.3.35.

On Medical Grounds

No. 1740, Sapper W. J. Brown, Engineer Company, as from 29.3.35.

No. 2149, Pte. F. C. Mendes, No. 9 Platoon, Corps Infantry, as from 22.2.35.

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The "Flirtation Walk" has the beauty of simplicity and grace and lends itself so readily to individual interpretations that it is likely to share the popularity in Hong Kong that it has done elsewhere.

By following the instructions closely, and studying the pictures, the easy steps and correct style can soon be mastered.

**LOCAL SCHOOL OF ACCOUNTANCY****First Anniversary Celebration****GOLD MEDAL PRESENTATION**

The Hong Kong School of Accountancy, established exactly one year ago, is celebrating its first anniversary in honour of the occasion with a tea party at the Gloucester Restaurant on Monday next at 5 p.m.

The Gold Medal awarded by the International Institute of Accountants to Mr. T. K. Young, a student of the School, and "official notices" to those who took high-passes in the same examination (December, 1934), will be presented during the function, by Mr. Ko Leung Hoe, a member of the Board of Supervisors.

The School has been appointed as the official examination centre for Hong Kong and South China by the Institute of Commerce, Incorporated, of England.

Dismissed by Efficiency Board No. 1646, Pte. R. A. E. Watson, No. 1 (M.G.) Company, Headquarters, as from 5.4.35. Fired and Dismissed by Efficiency Board.

No. 1918, Pte. I. McInnes, No. 14 Platoon, No. 3 (Anzac) Company, as from 5.4.35.

Permitted to Resign by Efficiency Board

No. 1927, Pte. W. J. Cole, No. 3 Platoon, No. 1 (M.G.) Company, as from 5.4.35.

Private A. M. W. Scott, Butterfield and Swire, M. G. Battalion (No. 2 Coy.).

Private P. C. Frost, Butterfield and Swire, M. G. Battalion (No. 1 Coy.).

(Sgt.) P. S. M. WILKINSON, Captain, Adjutant, H.K.V.D. Corps.

AFFILIATED UNITS Nursing Detachment, H.K.V.D.C.

LECTURE

The twelfth lecture in First Aid will be held in the Lecture Room at Volunteer Headquarters at 5.30 p.m.

Lecturer—Lieut. L. T. Ride, M.A., M.B., B.Ch., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.

LEAVE

Mrs. E. F. Alexander, as from 20.4.35 to 20.11.35.

NOTICE

Revolver Competition This will be fired independently at Kennedy Road Range on Units own parade nights or on such nights as Unit Commanders may decide.

They must notify the Hon. Secretary, H.K.V.D.C. Rifle Meeting, at least one week in advance.

AFTER ORDERS

Armoured Car Section Parade on Tuesday, 9th April at Headquarters at 6.30 p.m.

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"NO WAR IN THIS GENERATION"**Bishop Hall States His Opinion****LEAGUE OF NATIONS, HONG KONG BRANCH**

"There will be no major war in this generation. That is my considered judgment and I must defend it," said the Rt. Rev. R. O. Hall, Bishop of Victoria, during his presidential address at the annual meeting of the Hong Kong branch of the League of Nations, which was held at the Helena May Institution last night. The Bishop continued by saying that it was useless to try to prevent war merely by repeating to ourselves: "There will be no more war."

There were three important factors conducive to peace: international idealism, religion, and economic necessity. Of the three economic necessity was the most effective.

Election of Officers

The following officers were elected: President: the Rt. Rev. R. O. Hall; vice-Presidents: Chev. J. M. Alves, the Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotewall, Professor Robertson, the Hon. Sir William Shenton and the Hon. Dr. S. W. Tao; Hon. Treasurer, Dr. Y. S. Wan; Hon. Secretary, Mr. S. V. Boxer; Asst. Hon. Secretary, Miss Griffin; Hon. Auditor, Mr. W. N. Thomas Tam; Council, the above named officers together with Mr. A. el Arculli; Miss Bascombe, Miss Baxter, Mr. E. Himsworth, Mr. R. H. Lim; Mr. A. N. Macfadyen, Rev. Dr. Macdonald, Dr. Montgomery, Dr. K. U. Keischelt, Mr. A. B. Reynolds, Mr. R. Saito, Mrs. Kennedy Sipton, Mr. George She, Miss Swift, Mr. Talati, Mr. W. N. Thomas Tam, Rev. P. S. F. Tsio, and Dr. K. H. Utley; Executive Committee, Hon. Secretary, Asst. Hon. Secretary, Hon. Treasurer, Mr. A. el Arculli, Miss Baxter, Mr. M. A. Cooper, Mr. W. C. Felshaw, Mr. E. Himsworth, Mr. R. C. H. Lim, Mr. A. N. Macfadyen, Rev. Father Macdonald, Mr. George She, Mr. W. N. Thomas Tam, Rev. P. S. F. Tsio and Dr. K. H. Utley.

At the conclusion of the business the President proposed a vote of thanks to the officers of the Society.

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WHITEAWAY LAIDLAW

The China Mail

Hong Kong, Saturday, April 6, 1935.

The Sterling Fund Vote

A vote of 413,119 dollars in connection with the depreciation of sterling, which was approved by the Finance Committee after the meeting of the Legislative Council last Thursday, may well cause a certain amount of bewilderment to others than the Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotewall, who asked for further information. It is, of course, only bookkeeping entry, and does not imply any expenditure or loss of money, and it is made according to Treasury regulations under which the value of sterling balances has been written up during previous years. Nonetheless it is a quaint reminder of the insubstantial nature of the financial fabric as far as our surplus funds are concerned. The plain man naturally wonders why in a financial year, in which the rise in the dollar made a nominal addition to the Colonial revenue of two million dollars, a half million should have to be written off for depreciation. The fact, of course, is that the rise in our dollar is not entirely due to the American purchases and the consequent dearness of silver, but partly to the less obvious cause of the fall in the international purchasing power of the pound sterling. The former condition assisted us in making payments, the latter detracted from the value of the passive funds held in London. What then, so far as Hong Kong is concerned, is meant by the depreciation of sterling? The only answer possible is that it means that one pound sterling will buy less gold bullion. The old statutory ratio was seventy-six shillings and eightpence to the ounce, and it is now one hundred and forty-five shillings and ten pence, which is equivalent to the price in American dollars and cents which would be given by the United States Treasury. Two reflections suggest themselves if we allow ourselves to consider these facts. The first is that our connection with sterling is so close that we cannot get away from it; and the second is that we are only deceiving ourselves if we imagine that we are in possession of an independent standard, or on a silver basis. We are really at one remove just as much on a gold basis as the rest of the world. The net result of all the unsettling experiments of the last ten years has been to put the world on to a gold bullion standard instead of a gold coin standard.

The present temporary fall of sterling is purely artificial, and the first step towards a recovery of international trade will be the

discovery by the general public of the fact that the variations in the value of their money are not caused by any law of Nature, but by certain definite persons and by voluntary actions which could easily be restrained. While the cost of an ounce of gold in New York is fixed by law, the President has the option of raising it by another ten per cent., and this leaves an uncertainty which neutralises the advantage that might be conferred on trade by a fixed value; also if an alternative payment in gold be bargained for, there is no assurance that such a contract could be enforced in Court of Law. The consequence is that the price of an ounce of gold in Paris is three shillings higher, as represented in the franc exchange. It might be thought that this would lead people to refrain from buying francs; but that tendency was neutralised by a rush panicky people who had funds in London to transfer money to Paris. Incidentally this short-lived panic is interesting as an example of the use for such purposes of the new opportunities afforded by Wireless. All the Continental centres drew money from London after a very exaggerated version on the National Wireless which corresponds to the English B.B.C. of what is known as the "pepper scandal," a comparatively small affair that was said to involve Cabinet Ministers on the analogy of the Stavisky disclosures; it was emphasised that the Chancellor of the Exchequer had said that "there was no immediate prospect of a return to the gold standard," which was mere truism, and it was further stated that a General Election was pending which would have disastrous effects. The unscrupulous inventors of these rumours caused fluctuations which prompted the refusal of a loan to Belgium that had been arranged, and the consequent devaluation of Belgian currency, and a spreading wave of loss to Switzerland and Italy. Never in the history of the world has it been possible for a group of speculators to do so much damage to people that have no concern in their operations. It is deplorable enough that they should be able to inflict loss on other "gold countries," but it is absurd that they should be able to affect daily transactions in Hong Kong.

Vague optimism is merely irritating. Every month transfers more power from responsible Governments to irresponsible dealers who know no law or principle except the principle of quick profits. Unless the Governments can manage to get together and bring these wreckers under control, they will lose their hold over their peoples.

There were cases of typhoid fever imported, and two cases of meningitis were reported in the Colony during the 24 hours ended Wednesday.

HERE, THERE
and
EVERWHERE

EX-KING'S PRIVATE FORTUNE

Ex-King Prajadhipok is not likely to find himself in financial straits owing to his abdication. He sacrifices a Civil List of about \$300,000 a year, but his personal fortune, I hear, is unaffected. It is estimated at \$1,000,000.

Until 1926, the year following King Prajadhipok's accession, rulers of Siam had no Civil List. As absolute monarchs, they dipped into the Treasury according to their requirements. These might be anything up to £500,000 a year.

The fixing of the Royal Civil List at the equivalent of \$300,000 was part of the general scheme of economy under which the number of Court officials was drastically reduced.

The ex-King and Queen of Siam are hoping to make their new home at Nyon, on the Lake of Geneva.

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ISSUING HIS OWN PASSPORT

Lord Curzon, as Foreign Secretary, issued a passport to himself. Mr. Herold Nicolson, who was then his Private Secretary, on their journey to the Lausanne Conference took charge of the party's passports,

desiring to solve a problem which had often assailed me, namely, whether Lord Curzon made out a passport for himself.

It was there all right—"We, George Nathaniel," and then his name written again in the blank space.

Mr. Nicolson was amused at this evidence of what he calls "official Narcissism."

Your Daily Smile!

Our sympathy goes out to the burglar who thought he was twirling the knob of a safe and found that he had tuned in a dance band.

To-day's Worst

"Arab" hats are the latest fashion for women. They are considered very sleek.

It's all bunk to say a man can't get along by just letting things slide. Consider the trombone player.

Loud Noises

Well, maybe America did invent the saxophone. But Britain invented plus fours.

DOMESTIC TRAGEDY

He meant to have one drink and get home at ten. He had ten drinks and got home at one.

Just That

An American crooner was struck on the head with one of his own gramophone records. The song hit of the season.

Suburban Silhouette

The Canvasser: If you can spare me five minutes, sir, I can show you how to earn twice the money you're getting.

Personal Pics

Mr. T. J. Draper, of the Standard Vacuum Oil Company, accompanied by Mrs. Draper, left the Colony by the R.M.S. Empress of Asia yesterday.

Mr. L. S. Greenhill, former secretary of the Hong Kong Land Investment and Agency Company, Limited, accompanied by Mrs. Greenhill and their two daughters, were among the passengers who left the Colony by the R.M.S. Empress of Asia yesterday.

Mr. J. Hunter, of Messrs. Dodwell and Company, Limited, left the Colony by the R.M.S. Empress of Asia yesterday.

Mr. J. F. Macgregor, governing director of Messrs. Caldwell Macgregor and Company, Limited (Shanghai), was among the passengers who left the Colony by the R.M.S. Empress of Asia yesterday.

Mr. P. C. Potts, partner in Messrs. Benjamin and Potts, left by the R.M.S. Empress of Asia yesterday.

Mr. R. Steel, sub-manager of Messrs. David Sassoon and Company, left the Colony by the R.M.S. Empress of Asia yesterday.

WHERE EAST AND
WEST DO MEET

SIAM'S FRIENDLY AND
CHARMING PEOPLE
MUTUAL RACE EQUALITY WORKS
PERFECTLY

(By Patrick Balfour)

SIAM is somehow a whimsical country: whimsical by reputation racial equality. Siam was never an underdog nation, and to-day she preserves a sturdy independence between the imperial possessions of Great Britain on the one hand and of France on the other.

It is impossible not to be struck by this atmosphere of independence: the moment you set foot in the country—and very refreshing it is. For once you are neither a *sahib* nor a *than*, nor a big white chief of any denomination, but simply a jolly sort of human being with a different complexion from the normal.

No "Complexes"

The Siamese are a bright, friendly little race, quick-witted, full of life and invariably good company. Nowhere else in the East could such an institution as the Bangkok Sports Club exist. A magnificently appointed place, with tennis and squash courts, a swimming pool, a golf course and even a racecourse of its own, it throws open its doors to Europeans and Siamese alike—and even to half-castes. Nor would it ever occur to either that such eclecticism was at all extraordinary.

Colour-consciousness is virtually unknown in Siam. The Siamese suffers neither from racial inferiority nor from its obverse alienation, that truculent, self-conscious "I'm as good as you are" superiority so common in the East. Here one sighs at the thought of the Anglo-Indian clubs of Bombay and Calcutta, and is tempted to the conclusion that East and West are temperamentally incompatible only on a basis of social inequality.

Free from the compulsion to absorb European culture, the Siamese proceed to absorb it with avidity. Among the cosmopolitan-commercial population of Bangkok the Danes predominate over other Europeans. But it is to Great Britain that the country turns for educational inspiration: its schools are run on English lines and English is its second language. Siamese princes at Eton are a commonplace. They are no strangers, either, to the British Navy.

East And West

With the English language and education, the Siamese acquire English tastes, notably a love of sport. There are several golf courses in the country, besides that at Bangkok; tennis and boxing are popular, and some of the Siamese are first-rate light-weight jockeys. Here is a race very different from the loathsome Malay across the border.

The quaintest instance of English influence which I saw in Siam was at Bang-Pa-In, the Royal Summer Palace. Here King Chulalongkorn, father of the abdicated Prajadhipok, who visited England in Queen Victoria's reign, was pleased to build himself a Buddhist wat or temple, but in Victorian Gothic style.

The Buddha reposed uncomfortably in the midst of an acutely Gothic reredos of varnished mahogany, surrounded by windows of crude stained glass, while the exterior of the building was like a London suburban church of the worst possible architectural epoch.

The good subrubants would have been horrified by the adaptation of his pet ecclesiastical style to such heathen usage, in a landscape where water buffaloes wallowed in rice-fields and sampans bore half-naked Siamese up and down the river.

As a rule, however, the fusion of East and West in Siam strikes no such incongruous note as in other Oriental countries. Bangkok is half Chinese hotels and half commercial buildings in the modern German style. Yet it has a brisk integrity of its own.

The Grand Palace

In the night clubs Siamese princes in tunics and gay-coloured silken skirts dance to the latest American tunes—but it seems in no way odd that they should be doing so. European habits suit the Siamese people. Their adoption of them, however, is imitation, but has helped to create a highly individual race.

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for STAMP
COLLECTORS

By A. E. L.

THE collecting of French Leopold III. The first value to become appear is the 75c brown. The charity issue of seven values, from the 10c to the 5f has appeared, each stamp carrying a surtax, the proceeds from which go to charitable institutions. The design of the stamp shows a crusader astride his charger, bearing a shield with the red cross. The local postal rates have been reduced from 75c to 70c, effective from February 1, and it is expected that a new value will appear to cover this change.

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ITALIAN AIR MAIL

THE Italian Colonies of Cyrenaica, Eritrea and Tripolitania have received a special airmail set of 10 values to commemorate the King's Birthday and the special flight from Rome to Mogadisio.

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Norway honoured Ludwig Holberg with a series of four stamps each bearing a portrait of the noted author—Holberg's comedies have a fixed space in all Norwegian theatres.

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The photogravure stamps of Great Britain (1d and 1½d values) are now issued with the overprint "Tangier" for use in that territory.

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"CYPRUS FOR A HOLIDAY"

THAT Cyprus is determined to be known as a holiday resort is evident by the fact that in addition to the fine new issue of pictorial stamps, a new pictorial postmark is being used. This is in the form of a circle with the words "Cyprus for a Holiday," and an outlined map of the island on a lined background.

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From Greece comes word of a new air mail issue being considered, which will consist of nine values, a motor mechanic in Scotland viz. 1, 2, 5, 7, 10, 25, 50, 60, and 100 drs. There will probably be evidence in a Magistrate's Court four different designs, but a final decision has not yet been made. The 1938 issue will remain current until the new set appears until stocks are used up.

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It is understood that the 3c Carter, 10c Loyalist and 2c New Brunswick issues of Canada are now obsolete.

BENEFACtIONS OF LORD NUFFIELD

£50,000 Gift To New Zealand

OTHER HUGE DONATIONS

Lord Nuffield, head of the great Morris motor works, sprang a dramatic surprise at a Government dinner party recently at Wellington, New Zealand.

After making a few remarks about New Zealand's trade with Great Britain, he said that in recognition of the part the Dominion had played in the British Commonwealth of nations, he would be pleased to give £50,000 towards a fund for the treatment of New Zealand's crippled children.

Australia And Britain

Earlier, Lord Nuffield, in an interview, had made a reference to Australia's trade with Britain.

Australia, he said, seemed unwilling to extend to Great Britain the measure of reciprocity which he felt she might expect.

He felt compelled to forecast far-reaching and, perhaps, tragic trade disruption between Australia and Great Britain, failing an immediate attempt to overcome the increasing lack of reciprocity in trade relationships.

£618,000 Given Away

Lord Nuffield's gifts to hospitals and other institutions during recent years include:

Radicliffe Infirmary, Oxford £140,000 St. Thomas' Hospital, London £104,000 Guy's Hospital, London £85,000 League of Industry £20,000 Windfield Orthopaedic Hospital £70,000 New Birmingham Hospital £52,000 Worcester Royal Infirmary £35,000 Mount Vernon Hospital £22,000 British Empire Cancer Campaign £10,000 Birmingham Voluntary Hospital £10,000 Coventry Hospital £15,000 Berwick Association £10,000 Civic of Spanish, Oxford £10,000 St. Peter's Hall, Oxford £10,000 Motor and Cycle Trade Children's Home £10,000

GREECE VERSUS ALBANIA IN EDUCATION DISPUTE

The controversial question between Greece and Albania as to whether the latter country has the right to monopolise its educational institutions, despite the international agreement concluded at the League Council, has now been brought before the Permanent Court of Justice.

THE NATHAN ROAD CAR FATALITY

Evidence Regarding The Brakes

CASE ADJOURNED TILL MONDAY

At the Kowloon Police Court yesterday afternoon, evidence that at a speed of over 40 miles an hour the skid would become so bad that the car was uncontrollable and a release of the brakes was necessary to regain control was given by Traffic Sergeant T. McInnis against Mr. A. E. Ainsworth, who was charged with the manslaughter of a Chinese, Ma Ho-fai before Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones.

Mr. J. A. Fraser, Assistant Attorney General conducted the case for the Crown while Mr. H. C. Macnamara, instructed by Mr. D'Almada Remedios, appeared for the defendant.

Traffic Sergeant T. McInnis, Motor Vehicle Inspector, Kowloon, deposed to finding two skid marks which ended at the refuge island.

The east skid mark was 35 feet in length and the west 97 feet in length. They were not parallel all the way and curved to the right.

On February 3, he took the car to Nathan Road and at 30 miles per hour it stopped in 76 feet. The road was dry as it was on February 1. The car, in witness's opinion, should have pulled up in 50 to 55 feet at that speed.

Mr. Macnamara objected to the admissibility of the evidence remarking that it was only a matter of opinion.

At Counsel's request, Mr. Fraser examined the witness as to his experience in traffic matters.

Witness replied he had been in the Traffic Department since June, 1928, and his work had been traffic control, motor vehicle inspector, Hong Kong, and was at the present motor vehicle inspector, Kowloon. He had previous experience as a motor mechanic in Scotland.

Continuing, witness stated that at 20 miles per hour the car stopped in 31 feet. It should have stopped at between 20 and 25 feet.

Alleged Uncontrollable.

At a speed of 30 miles per hour and over, the tendency was for the rear of the car to swing left when the brakes were applied. At a speed of over 40 miles per hour the skid became so bad that the car was uncontrollable and the brakes had to be released to regain control of the car, added witness.

The skidding was due to unbalanced brakes and bad adjustment.

Witness gave detailed results of another test carried out in Gascoyne Road on April 1.

Mr. Macnamara objected remarking that the defence were not informed of the tests, when they could easily have been.

Re-examined by Mr. Fraser, witness stated that no adjustments to the car had been made.

The hearing was adjourned to Monday afternoon. Defendant is on bail.

Mr. Fraser offered the defence every facility to carry out tests with the car. Mr. Macnamara replied that they would probably accept the kind offer made.

The case was adjourned to Monday afternoon.

MORE VISITORS TO BRITAIN

Jubilee Year Opens With Good Increase

Figures issued for January by the Travel Association show that the Silver Jubilee Year opened with a further increase in the number of visitors to Great Britain.

The total was 7,000, an increase of 667 over January 1934. Business visitors numbered 7,517, a rise of 681. The combined total of holiday and business visitors (15,477) shows an increase of 1,898.

The figures for all countries except Russia, were higher.

INFURIATED VOTER SLAPS FRENCH POLITICIAN

During the election campaign Bourgogne-Franche-Comte, a political opponent of the Radical Party, Elbel, slapped the latter's deputy, the League's Comte de la Motte, in the face, and seriously injuring him.

Elbel left over four gendarmes had to be sent to the infirmary.

To-day's Short Story.

The Vaudeville Doctor

By John Forbes

A DRAMATIC tenor! My friend, like a pal I'm telling you, for a nickel I could buy a carload of dramatic tenor singers and get ten cents refund back on the empty car.

Max Steigl, the vaudeville doctor, puffed impressively on his cigar and gave Freddie Rogers, tenor, a shrewd glance of appraisal.

"Still," he said presently, "I just been doing some first-class concentration thinking, and a swell idea come to me, same as always."

"You mean you can get me a booking?"

"I mean," said Mr. Steigl, "that if you're willing to do like I'm going to tell you."

"But, don't you want to give me an audition?" After all—

Mr. Rogers, idol in happier days of the Chicago Civic Light Opera Theatrical Association, Inc., betrayed both incredulity and hurt pride that the vaudeville doctor did not care to hear him perform.

"If you say you're a tenor, then I shouldn't believe you're a basso singer," said Mr. Steigl. "Besides, you look like a tenor. In fact, you got that tenor-smell. So that's all I need to know."

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"But these new craft must also play a prominent part in the sea war of the future."

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The motor-boat which he demonstrated is an armoured vessel, built for the Chinese Maritime Customs. It will be used to fight smugglers and pirates.

Although only 45 ft. long and with all its equipment weighing more than 12 tons, it constitutes a powerful weapon of attack.

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Celtic	35 21 4 10 81 42
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Hamilton	34 17 6 8 79 58 43
St. Johnstone	33 16 5 9 53 88 49
Dundee	37 18 8 13 63 60 49
Motherwell	35 16 10 12 78 60
Clyde	38 18 10 12 68 85 38
Kilmarnock	35 15 4 15 67 71 44
Partick	35 15 4 15 57 81 34
Hibernian	32 17 4 12 78 85 38
Airdrie	34 11 7 16 51 65 29
Queen's Park	37 9 8 14 46 72 27
Auchenblae	35 9 8 15 57 67 28
Demerara	34 11 5 18 51 60 27
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May 6—Afternoon

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RANCHI	17,000 4th May	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
NALDERA	16,000 18th May	DO
*BURDWAN	6,000 25th May	Marseilles, Havre, London, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
RANPURA	17,000 1st June	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
RAJPUTANA	17,000 15th June	DO
*SOMALI	7,000 22nd June	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
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	1935.	
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BURDWAN	6,000 17th Apr.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
TAKADA	7,000 18th Apr.	Anoy, Shai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
NALDERA	16,000 18th Apr.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
RANPURA	17,000 2nd May	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
TILAWA	10,000 2nd May	Anoy, Shai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
TANDA	7,000 5th May	Shai, Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Yokohama.
SOMALI	7,000 14th May	Shai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
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OXFORD FAVOURITES FOR BOAT RACE

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R. Hope (Eton and New College), bow; R. M. de Winter (Winchester and Corpus); S. E. E. D. Tomlin (Whitgift and University); J. M. Couchman (Shoreham and Christ Church); J. D. Starrock (Winchester and Magdalen); S. V. Sutcliffe (Shrewsbury and Trinity); J. B. J. Scirtorling (D. R. B. Myrons (Eton and New College), stroke; G. O. F. Bryan (Eton and Worcester) coxswain.

Banker's Position.

The fact that Banker was left out does not of course necessarily mean that he will not row in the race.

Mr. Peter Haig Thomki, the coach, said "We have decided to rest Banker for a day or two. That is all I can say at the moment." Banker is the champion oar-breaker of the Oxford crew, his total to date being six of the twelve broken since practice was started. He has been rowing with Fletcher rowlocks, while the rest of the crew, except for one experiment, have been using fixed pins.

More Oars Broken

Four more oars were broken by the Oxford crew when they were practising in the fixed tub at Goring. J. M. Couchman smashed two, and A. V. Sutcliffe and R. Hope each one.

Oxford tried the boat, used during practice by the Isis crew, which was built in record time for last year's race. The only rowing during their first outing was a half-minute spell, in which Myrons got in 1½ strokes.

Crew Impress

The crew impressed very much when they had their first trip over the 3½-mile course between Streatham Vicarage and the Nautical College boathouse at Putney in the afternoon.

They did paddling, varied by a few bursts of rowing. The crew developed much power, and the boat ran very well.

With a minute's rowing at 32, they completed the course in 20 min 18 sec. It was an excellent performance, in view of the fact that there was no stream to help the crew.

New Boat Specifications

The Oxford boatrace crew have altered the specifications for their new boat. The experiment with the Isis boat, which was used again at Goring, has shown that it is faster than the boat which was built in January, and which they had been using until recently.

The boat builders at Putney were then given amended instructions.

Light Blues' Outing

The Cambridge crew had another late outing on March 8. They got afloat at 10 minutes to 6 and arrived back at the boathouse an hour later in moonlight. Mr. Nisbet, the coach, arrived shortly after five and gave tubpair instruction to the four stern oarsmen.

Paddling downstream in easy stages the Pike and Eel was reached at six o'clock, and on the way down Long Reach a couple of 10's were called for. Turning at Bait's Bite Locks they prepared to row from Little Bridge to Railway Bridge, a distance of a mile and a quarter.

Good Stroking

Sillagin, at stroke, got away at 35 in the first minute, maintained an average of about 33, and finished up at 38.

The time taken was 7 min 18 sec, which was quite good, considering that the coxswain had to take fairly wide corners owing to bad visibility. Conditions were quite calm and the river was deserted.

What Would Happen?

What would happen if a man did break his oar in a boatrace?

Firstly he would receive a severe buffet as the man behind would swing forward; then another as the man in front swings back.

He would, therefore, have to do one of two things - jump out or continue swinging in time with the crew, a tedious business if the accident happened early in the race.

The catch in jumping out would be the risk of being decapitated by a blow from another swinging blade.

The Cambridge crew, Dr. A. D. Kingsford (Upminster and Penge) (bow); J. B. J. Scirtorling (De Winter and Corpus); S. E. E. D. Tomlin (Whitgift and University); J. M. Couchman (Shoreham and Christ Church); J. D. Starrock (Winchester and Magdalen); S. V. Sutcliffe (Shrewsbury and Trinity); J. B. J. Scirtorling (D. R. B. Myrons (Eton and New College), stroke; G. O. F. Bryan (Eton and Worcester) coxswain.

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China Ponies

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1.38.1.—Double Chance (P. Botelho) 154 lb.; The Deemster (Butler) 147 lb.; High Principle (Roza) 156 lb.; Two and 1 length.

SEVEN FURLONGS

1.45.4.—The Chetah (Frost) 158 lb.; Belmont Star (Li) 158 lb.; Wadebridge (Marshall) 161 lb.; 1½ lengths and ½ lengths.

1 MILE: 171 YARDS

1.49.0.—Gold Coin (Tang Man Wa) 158 lb.; Ythan (W. H. Choy) 158 lb.; Soldier of Victory (F. Li) 161 lb.; Neck and ½ length.

ONCE ROUND

1.44.4.—Soldier of Britain (Sun) 168 lb.; Cossack's Beauty (Phib) 168 lb.; Trentbridge (Marshall) 168 lb.; Five lengths and 5 lengths.

ONE MILE

2.05.3.—Rose-Queen (Needa) 158 lb.; Soldier of Victory (Sun) 161 lb.; Royal Romance (Deitz) 161 lb.; Head and 2 lengths.

1½ MILES

1.55.4.—Liberty Bay (Frost) 161 lb.; Cossack's Beauty (Marshall) 161 lb.; King's Justice (Phib) 161 lb.; Short head, 2 lengths.

2 MILES

2.04.3.—Iron Grey (Needa) 162 lb.; Cavalcade (Encarnacao) 162 lb.; Young Chap (Ho) 162 lb.; ½ length and a neck.

2.30.2.—Invincible Knight (Encarnacao)

168 lb.; The Deemster (Heard) 165 lb.; Bold Major (Li) 166 lb.; ½ length and length.

2.37.3.—Mistake Bay (Frost) 161 lb.; High Honour (Tao) 161 lb.; Soldier of Victory (Sun) 161 lb.; Short head, 2 lengths.

2.21.1.—Pontiac Bay (Frost) 154 lb.; High Honour (Roza) 157 lb.; Gold Coin (148 lb.) 157 lb.; Short head, 2 lengths.

2.20.1.—Bright View (Davis) 154 lb.; Young Chap (Phib) 152 lb.; Chateau Bay (Tang Man Wa) 158 lb.; Head and length.

2.24.4.—Propitious Time (Neugebauer)

154 lb.; Invermark (Phib) 162 lb.; The Chetah (Frost) 161 lb.; Length and length.

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